

CLOON EXPLAINS GAS TAX BILL

Says Additional Revenue Needed To Safeguard Public Highways

State Senator Joseph Cloon, Wakefield Republican, stopping over in Escanaba yesterday on his way home from Lansing for the weekend, explained the need for additional revenues to safeguard the public's \$2,000,000,000 investment in state and county highways systems in Michigan — and declared his bill to increase the gasoline tax from 3 to 5 cents per gallon is designed to accomplish that purpose only.

"We're not trying to increase the gasoline tax to help solve the state's financial difficulties," said Cloon. "All gasoline tax money is earmarked for highway purposes, and my bill proposes only to safeguard the public's investment in its state and county highways and city streets."

Cloon pointed out that the maintenance of the highways was most important if the state desired to continue successfully. Good roads are needed, especially in Northern Michigan, if the tourist is to travel the long distances between the many resort and recreation areas.

Delta's Share \$114,000

Under Cloon's bill the additional 2 cents per gallon in gasoline tax would be apportioned to the counties on the basis of their McNitt road mileage, as it is today. One cent of the two cents would go to the state highway department, and the remaining one cent would be apportioned to the county road commissions.

"In Delta county I estimate the road commission would receive \$114,000 annually in addition to the \$38,000 now received under the McNitt act from gasoline tax," Cloon said.

Since 1940-41 the counties have not received any additional revenues except for the last two years when some liquor tax money was distributed to them. The Delta county road commission received \$34,000 per year in liquor tax, but no additional liquor tax will be received after May 15.

Costs Going Up

Cloon also pointed out that salaries and wages paid by the Delta county road commission have increased 82 per cent since 1941, while the average for the state is about 60 per cent. This increase in Delta county, Cloon added, leaves the road commission with less for construction and maintenance, and the situation will become worse when the liquor tax revenue is no longer forthcoming.

Who will pay most of the gasoline tax increase? Cloon says it

'Spelunkers' Have Fun Looking Up Hideouts

Washington—This is bad news for you if you were planning to find a quiet cave in which to hide should an atomic war ever come.

The shortage of caves would be far greater than even houses are now, says William J. Stephenson, president of the National Speleological Society. Furthermore, he says Army and Navy specifications for caves that might be used for war industries are "too rigid to envision any great immediate use of caves for such a purpose."

The National Speleological Society is an organization which explores and studies caves.

Stephenson whose society has

Anaesthetic Blows Up; Woman Killed

San Francisco, (AP)—An explosion in the respiratory tract, presumably from an anaesthetic, caused the death last night of Mrs. Freda Stanford, 49.

The coroner's office said an autopsy disclosed the woman's lungs were collapsed by air which penetrated the chest outside the lungs. The lung collapse was accompanied by hemorrhage and congestion.

Deputy Coroner Harold Honore reported the anaesthetic was ether and cyclopropane. Dr. Ludwig Emge, the surgeon performing the operation said he believed the explosion was caused "by a static charge in the air."

ITS FIRST GAME LAW

Wyoming's first game law was enacted by the territorial council and house of representatives, and given administrative approval on Dec. 1, 1869.

will not be the average car driver, who travels about 15,000 miles per year. The average motorist's bill under the proposed tax increase would be about 75 cents per month and the total for the year—says Cloon—"would be less cost than if he hit an un-mended hole in the road and blew out a tire."

Surveys and estimates show, he continued, that one of every three cars on Michigan highways are traveling here from out of the state. He estimates therefore that about 20 per cent of the total gasoline tax bill would be paid by visitors.

Cloon added that Michigan is only one of 9 states in the nation that now has a 3-cent gasoline tax. The others have gas tax ranging from 4 to 8 cents a gallon. California legislature has been called in special session by the governor to consider boosting the gas tax from 3 to 6 cents there, he said.

I believe there are enough caves in the country to house the whole business. While we have only 5,000 caves listed in our catalogue and have actually explored only 500 of them. I believe that there must be around 50,000 caverns of various sizes in the country which have not as yet been listed.

Surveys Needed

"In my opinion, surveys should begin at once to find new caves and to study the possibilities of known caves which do not meet the present specifications of the Army and Navy."

"If we don't start now, there may be a mad scramble for caves if anyone starts bombing us—and it will be a scramble worse than anything we've seen during the present housing shortage above ground."

Stephenson says a small industry—"such as a fair-sized factory"—could be located in a cave that might be situated more than 35 miles from a railroad "and still get along by trucking materials." And he says there are many caves which, while not as level as those specified by the military, could be made to serve as hide-outs for small industries.

"Why," he said, "I can think of one cave which, while not exactly level, has a 'room' in it that would house a seven-story building."

"The average small factory runs about 100 feet long, 35 to 40 feet wide and stands about 40 feet high. There are a lot of caves that would be suitable for such a place, but, as I say, there are very few that are suitable for the sprawled-out arrangement of a major industry."

Stephenson says the caves on his society's list range "from a gopher hole to Mammoth Cave, Ky., the largest cave in the world."

The society has a membership of about 500 ranging "from sci-

tists to mail clerks and mill hands." They call themselves "cavers" or "spelunkers," and Stephenson says that along with getting great sport out of exploring caves, they also make valuable contributions to archeology, geology and other branches of science.

Up to now, says Stephenson, the organization has been rather informal, but plans are now under way to make it a big-league outfit, increasing its membership to 5,000 or 10,000, and campaigning for funds to support activities "of value to the whole country."

He says, for example, that if the time ever comes when the nation will have to place its industry underground, it will need a strong organization of speleologists to run interference for the people who would actually set up the plants below ground.

Here's his conception of what it means to go into an undeveloped cave:



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10	:00—Bible Institute :30—Memorial Hour :45—Morning Worship
SUNDAY AFTERNOON	
12	:00—Sunday Concert :15—Your Bible Speaks :30—Juvenile Jury
	:00—The Warden's crime case—Drama :15—Radio Warblers :30—Bill Cunningham—News :45—What the Veteran wants to know
2	:00—Open House :30—Crimes of Carelessness—Drama
3	:00—House of Mystery :30—True Detective mystery—Drama

4	:00—The Shadow :30—Quick as a Flash
5	:00—Those Websters :30—Nick Carter
SUNDAY EVENING	
6	:00—Mysterious Traveler—Drama :30—California Melodies
7	:00—A. L. Alexander's Mediation Board :30—Special Investigator :45—Official Detective
8	:00—Exploring the Unknown—Drama :30—Double or Nothing
9	:00—Gabriel Heatter's Brighter Tomorrow Serenade
10	:00—Revival Hour
11	:00—Sign. Off

MONDAY'S PROGRAM

MONDAY MORNING	
6	:30—Family Worship
7	:00—Yawn Patrol :30—Victorious Living :35—Rise and Shine
8	:00—The Editor's Diary :15—Shady Valley Folks :35—Under the Capital Dome—Talk
9	:00—Arthur Gaeth, news :15—Morning Devotional :30—Art Baker :45—Say It With Music
10	:00—Cecil Brown—News :15—Tell Your Neighbor :30—Easy Does It :45—Victor H. Lindlahr
11	:00—Morning Melodies :15—Merv Griffin Show :30—Farm Service Hour :45—Trading Post
MONDAY AFTERNOON	
12	:00—Co-op Time :15—Luncheon Concert :30—Noon News :45—Checkerboard Time
1	:00—Cedric Foster, news :15—Smile Time :30—Queen For a Day
2	:00—Heard's Desire :30—Ma Perkins :45—Musical Review

served the country. During the war of 1812, he says, thousands of pounds of saltpeter, a principal ingredient of gunpowder, were mined from nitrous earth in Mammoth Cave, Kentucky, and Wyandotte Cave, Indiana.

And during the Civil War, he says, the Confederacy obtained saltpeter from caves in Georgia, Tennessee, West Virginia and Virginia when the Union blockade cut off the south from Chilean sources of the chemical.

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IN THE NEWS!

- First Films From Communist China!
- 400 Die As Greek Ship Hits Mine!
- Fierce Battle Rages In Hanoi, Indo-China!
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SCOUTS READY FOR ROUNDUP

Big Affair Planned At Powers; Contests Scheduled

A roundup of Scouts, Scouters and candidates in Scouting will be held at the Powers hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 4, beginning at 7:30. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Units participating in the event will be as follows: Troop 478 of Hermansville and Senior Outfit 404 will present Scouting activities and contests in camping, handicraft and fire-building. Troop 477 of Powers-Spaulding will present trail signs, some practical first aid, making of fuzz sticks, war torches and the presentation of a Scout game.

Unit 446 of Bark River will present a contest in compass work, knot tying and a project in observation. Unit 447 of Sunnyside of Bark River will also participate providing their plans of participation can be developed.

The roundup will open with registration of Scouts and Scouters at 7:30 p. m., followed by the activities as mentioned above. The roundup will provide fun and good fellowship, besides giving opportunities for demonstrations in Scout skills and crafts.

Contests of the event will be scored against a given score in such events as fuzz stick making, compass work, first aid, trail signs, etc. Units presenting the contests will provide score sheets and recorders for each event.

Awards will be given for participation in the roundup as well as contest awards. A motion picture will be shown on Scouting

prior to the court of honor. Those in charge of the roundup are William Sharon of Spaulding, Roy Bagley of Wilson, R. La Londe of Powers, James Gribble and Henry Lombard, Jr., of Hermansville.

The Spaulding high school band will furnish music for the event. Troop committees of the units participating will also take an active part in providing transportation and serving as officials of the roundup.

Obituary

MRS. JACOB LANDIS

Last rites for Mrs. Jacob Landis, Isabella pioneer, were held Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the family home, and at 2 o'clock at Bethany Lutheran church in Isabella. Rev. G. A. Herbert of Manistiquie conducted the service.

Mrs. A. J. Olson, who was soloist, sang "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" and "Shall We Gather at the River?" Mrs. John Anderson was her accompanist.

Burial was in Isabella cemetery. Pallbearers were Ralph, Norman and Richard Morrison and Harvey, Ted and Edwin Sundin.

Those at the funeral included Mr. and Mrs. Casper Krug and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Krug, Chicago; Elmer, Isaac and William Bonifas of Garden; and Anna Leonard of Manistiquie, and many other residents of Isabella and neighboring communities.

PETER BLAKE

Funeral services for Peter Blake, of Ford River Switch, Delta county pioneer, will be held at St. Joseph's church Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Alphons, O. F. M., officiating at the funeral mass. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery. The body is in state at the Boyce funeral home until the hour of the service.

Briefly Told

Odd Fellows Meeting—Impellant Lodge No. 460, I. O. O. F., will hold their regular meeting Monday, Feb. 3, at 8 p. m., in their hall on North 10th street. The officers wish a good attendance as some important business is coming up. Lunch will be had following the meeting.

K. of C. Meeting—Escanaba Council No. 640, Knights of Columbus, will hold a business meeting at the clubrooms at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, Feb. 4. Plans for the pre-Lenten party for members and their ladies will be discussed. Lunch and refreshments will be served.

Firemen Foiled—The city fire department was called to 1503 N. 18th street, shortly before noon yesterday, because a billowing cloud of smoke, caused, they learned upon arrival, not by ram-paging flames but by a blocked chimney. They weren't able to unblock it, either. They left, declaring their belief that crowning bricks from the chimney top fell and wedged themselves so tightly as to necessitate breaking a hole in the chimney.

Sentence Passed—Harold E. Goodnough, 17, John J. Provo, 18, and Ernest Valiquette, Jr., 17, all of Escanaba, were sentenced yesterday to 90 days in the county jail for gross indecency.

Fly Fishing Class—The adult education school's class in fly fishing, conducted by James Rouman, will meet during the second term on Wednesday nights instead of Monday nights. The first meeting will be held at the junior high school, room 153, Wednesday night, Feb. 5.

Lions Entertain Boxers—Local boxers who participated in the Golden Gloves bouts last week are invited to be guests of the Escanaba Lions club at their dinner meeting in the Sherman hotel Monday night at 6:45. A special movie film on boxing will be shown.

Kingsford School Will Be Improved

Iron Mountain—Allocation this week by the Federal Works Agency, at Washington, of \$8,450 for the planning of a new gymnasium, grandstand and bus-garage at the Kingsford high school, plus a state grant of \$2,850 made in 1945, brings to \$11,300 the fund available for the preparatory work, according to Frank C. Sweeney, superintendent of the Breitung township schools.

It is emphasized that this money is for planning only, and that it in no way applies to actual construction.

Mr. Sweeney was notified in a telegram yesterday, from John B. Bennett, 12th district Congressman in Washington, of the federal planning-grant of \$8,450. The telegram read: "Federal Works Agency advises that \$8,450 has been allocated to Breitung township school district for planning-preparation of gymnasium addition to existing high school building, including shower, lockers, office, storage rooms and other necessary appurtenant facilities."

Hospital

Mrs. George Belanger of Nahma is a surgical patient at St. Francis hospital.

Shake blankets carefully at intervals and, when airing out of doors, hang over a double clothes line where possible thus distributing the weight.

Mrs. Nancy Dupey Dead, Funeral At Bark River Tuesday

Mrs. Arthur Dupey, former resident of Escanaba and Schaffer, died last Friday at 4:30 p. m. at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Marty Larson, Port Washington, Wis. Mrs. Dupey would have been 85 the twenty-sixth of next month.

Born in Plattsburg, N. Y., March 26, 1862, Mrs. Dupey was preceded in death by her husband, who died April 19, 1940. She is survived by 6 daughters, 3 sons, 23 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren.

Mrs. Dupey's daughters are: Mrs. John Lane, Iron Mountain, Mich.; Mrs. Albert Morrison and Mrs. Frank Belcher, both of Minneapolis; Mrs. R. Dewey, Watertown, N. Y.; Mrs. Arthur Sundburg and Mrs. Marty Larson, with whom she made her home, both of Pt. Washington, Wis.

Her sons are: Arthur Dupey, 205 S. Nineteenth street; U. H. Dupey, Route 1, State Road, Escanaba; Wallace Dupey, Pierce, Idaho.

The body will arrive in Bark River from Pt. Washington Monday morning, and will be at rest in the Boyle funeral home. Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock a. m. Tuesday at St. George's church and burial will be in the Bark River cemetery.

LaCrosse Opposes Tatrow In Garden Supervisors Race

Garden, Mich.—Elmer LaCrosse will oppose Albert Tatrow in the contest for the Township party's nomination for supervisor in the Garden election to be held Feb. 17. The Township party has the only ticket in the primary. There are no other contests.

Other candidates are: clerk, George Boudreau; treasurer, Ossie Hazen; board of review, Edward Poque; justice of the peace, two four-year terms, Harold Beach and Albert Newman; justice of the peace, two-year term, to fill vacancy, Stanley Jacques. LaCrosse formerly held the office of supervisor. Boudreau and Hazen are the incumbent clerk and treasurer, while Stanley Jacques is the incumbent justice of the peace. Beach served as justice previously.

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Chicago Symphony Orchestra Plays At Ishpeming Tonight

Ishpeming—That interest in the Chicago Symphony orchestra's performance here is at a peak is reflected in the fact that patrons from 17 cities in the Upper Peninsula, in addition to Ishpeming, Negaunee and Marquette, have made reservations for the concert to be given in the Ishpeming high school auditorium Sunday evening, beginning at 8:30.

"It marks the first time we have actually 'covered' the entire Upper Peninsula," George Quaal, who is in charge of arrangements, said. "From Sault Ste. Marie to Ironwood and all communities in the Copper Country, people who love symphonic music will be here to hear the concert."

"In addition to the three cities in Marquette county, reservations have been made by residents of the Soo, Newberry, Manistique, Escanaba, Gladstone, Bark River, Gwinn, L'Anse au Loup, Houghton, Hancock, Calumet, Iron Mountain, Iron River, Crystal Falls and Norway."

Figures For January Issued By Firemen

In the monthly report issued yesterday, the Escanaba fire department listed 25 calls for the month of January, and an aggregate fire loss of \$1,192.

Two fires accounted for all but \$70 of that amount. On Jan. 1, a fire at a residence, 1114 Sheridan Road, caused a damage of \$400, and on Jan. 14, a fire at the Sayen Potato Chip company, 309 North 14th street, caused by an overheated grease kettle, resulted in a \$712 loss.

Three of the 25 calls were false alarms, three were roof fires, four automobile fires, and four chimney fires. There was one emergency call.

Milk Price Goes Down In Marquette

Marquette—Following the down-trend in other dairy products, Marquette dairies will reduce the price of bottled milk one cent a quart beginning Feb. 1, it was announced yesterday.

Thus, a quart of milk, which has been sold for 18 cents, will be retailed for 17 cents, starting Saturday.

"Bottled milk will take a price drop in nearly all parts of the country," dairy men said in announcing the reduction. "In fact, decreases started in some localities Jan. 1. It is expected that lower dairy product prices will assure increased consumption of 'nature's perfect food,' thus preventing a milk surplus."

Barbara Benson Dies Suddenly

Barbara Jean, year old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Benson, 725 South Tenth street, died suddenly at 11 o'clock Saturday morning at the family home.

The baby was born Feb. 24, 1946. Surviving are the parents and one sister, Virginia Ann.

The body will be in state at the Allo funeral home Monday morning and services will be held at the funeral home chapel Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. James G. Ward, rector of St. Stephen's Episcopal church, will conduct the rites. Burial will be in Lakeview cemetery.

The juice crushed from asparagus butts can be used as a culture mold in which to grow penicillin.

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NOTICE

To Masonville Township Voters

Due to the fact that there is no opposition for any township office, there will be no township ballot this primary election, February 17th.

Signed
Hilda Johnson,
Clerk.

McCauley Honored By Association

Milwaukee—The district attorney of the state's largest county has been named to head the Wisconsin District Attorney's Association.

William McCauley, who was re-elected in Milwaukee county last fall, was named to the presidency yesterday at the law officials meeting in Milwaukee. Most of yesterday's program was curtailed because of the weather, but a legislative session is planned for today.

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Ice And Snow Sculpture Contest Announced Here

An ice sculpturing and snow modeling contest in connection with the Escanaba Winter Sports Carnival is being sponsored by the Escanaba Rotary Club—a contest which is hoped to enliven the appearance of front yards in the city during the carnival period.

All Escanaba residents are invited to enter the contest. All that is required is to fill out the entry blank and then set to work sculpting or modeling figures of ice or snow in front of your home.

James Fitzharris, chairman of the Rotary club committee arranging the contest, said yesterday that for the purpose of the contest the city will be divided into three zones. There will be three appropriate prizes awarded in each of the zones.

All of the sculpting and modeling must be completed by Friday noon, Feb. 14, and the judging will be done in the afternoon and

evening. The evening judging will be for those entries which are lighted, as some contestants may wish to do.

The three zones are as follows: Zone 1—That area of the city north of Ludington street; Zone 2—The area south of Ludington and west of 10th street; Zone 3—The area south of Ludington and east of 10th street.

The Rotary club committee is composed of Fitzharris, Nevin Reynolds, Ben Westrate and Dr. Roy Johnson.

Snow modeling and ice sculpturing has been a popular winter carnival feature in many communities, and the subjects chosen to present are many and varied. Animals from the realistic to the fantastic, human figures, and other subjects are often made with ice or snow. Sometimes they are colored, and other "sculptors" attract attention to the work by floodlighting them at night.

Contest Entry Blank

Ice Sculpturing & Snow Modeling

NAME

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AGE

To enter the contest fill out the blank and mail or return to Escanaba recreation center, 330 South 14th street, before Sat., Feb. 8. James R. Fitzharris, chairman.

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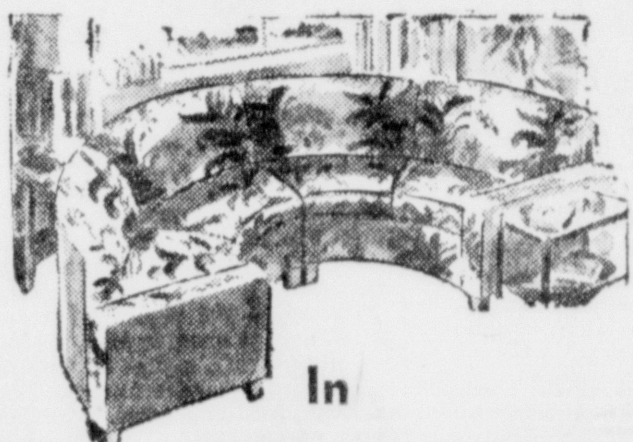
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AFL-CIO Merger

THE American Federation of Labor has proposed a merger with the CIO in order to present a unified front against "objectionable" legislation. Merger of the two big labor federations would be a good thing for the country from at least one standpoint, the elimination of jurisdictional strikes.

It is doubtful, however, that the militant CIO will go along on the proposed merger plan because the leaders in that organization have entrenched themselves in some cushy jobs which they do not care to place in jeopardy.

One problem in labor relationship that would be intensified by a merger of the two labor federations is the problem of sympathy strikes. Even now this condition is growing in severity and creating a more oppressive impact on public interest. The labor union movement is, of course, faced with prospective legislation that its leaders consider "objectionable." Both of the major federations already have taken a unified stand in opposition to such legislation. They do not want, for instance, any revision of the Wagner Labor Relations Act, nor do they want any legislation that would force labor unions to accept the same sense of responsibility for their actions that industries are required to accept.

The public interest dictates the necessity for considerable revision of existing labor laws and these changes must be made if the welfare of labor organizations is not to remain on the legislative pedestal above the welfare of the public at large.

Red Cross Drive

THE Delta county chapter of the American Red Cross will open its annual drive for funds on Monday.

The committee in charge is determined to wind up the fund raising campaign in two weeks, so it calls upon the general public to contribute early and urges the canvassers to complete their solicitation work as promptly as possible. An earnest effort is to be made to avoid a long drawn out fund raising drive.

Delta county's quota this year is \$12,500. This is half of the quota set for last year, which is proof that the Red Cross is not requesting more funds than it actually needs for its far-flung humanitarian services.

There is still much work being done for humanity despite the cessation of war. War veterans still call upon the Red Cross for assistance for themselves and their families. The Red Cross programs in first aid, life saving, disaster relief, nurses' training and many other fields continue to be of importance.

Contributors are also reminded that half the money raised will remain in Delta county for financing the local services of the Red Cross. This year's reduced quota should be achieved in one short drive, for the general public recognizes the fact that all money contributed to this cause will be used to the best advantage.

The Fourth Republic

A DOLF HITLER set out to rule or ruin, and on the continent of Europe, he was partially successful in doing both. His rule prevailed until the Normandy invasion and the subsequent Russian advance. The ruin, which left Germany battered and broken and her neighbors exhausted, endures today.

It remains to be seen whether that ruin is permanent and whether the one-time center of world affairs is to become an area of minor satellite states. The answer undoubtedly lies with France, and the determining factors in that answer may soon become apparent.

France now has a permanent government, at least on paper. The period of provisional rule has ended with the adoption of a new constitution and the selection of Vincent Auriol as president and Paul Ramadier as premier. With the proclamation of the Fourth Republic France becomes—again, on paper—the strongest country on the European continent west of Russia.

Her principal rivals, Germany and Italy, are out of the running. Poland, Czechoslovakia, Hungary and the Balkans have all but lost their identity and are flimsily joined to the Russian economic or political spheres. France should be preparing to return to her traditional and rightful place of influence.

Yet the Fourth Republic seems to be off to a shaky start. The Socialists, a minor party, head the government. The two strongest parties, Popular Republicans and Communists, are at odds on domestic issues and even farther apart on foreign policy. Their leaders seem as little anxious for a compromise as for a showdown.

If one may presume to judge from afar on the basis of written reports, it might be surmised that France's greatest damage is spiritual rather than physical. This might be blamed on the shame and suppression of the Nazi occupation. Yet some older symptoms are apparent, symptoms of that

inner dissolution of the Thirties which went on behind the superficial, complacent faith in the Maginot Line.

From that period date the political cynicism, the rise and fall of cabinets on the crest of recurrent crises. Complicating these today is a variety of new ills—colonial war, inflation, uncertainty over the real intentions of the cagey domestic Communists, uncertainty over the Big Three's policy toward the future of the ancient enemy, Germany.

And France is also suffering from the prevalent and perhaps inevitable postwar disease, loss of unity. It has hampered the relations of former Allies and disrupted the domestic life of the victorious nations. In France it has dissolved that stubborn, courageous pride and freedom-loving spirit that united in the Resistance. In their place there seem to be a profound national weariness and an intensification of the old discords.

The Fourth Republic, then, is beset by grave troubles which demand strong leadership and united support. And however much or little the United States government and its people can help to solve those troubles, they cannot be indifferent to them.

It would be a heavy blow to us and to free men everywhere if this citadel of European liberty should become the last of Hitler's conquests and go down to chaos and communism, a victim of the unseen forces of hopelessness and disillusion. The least America can do is wish the Fourth Republic well, and give help wherever help is possible.

An Eye On Germany

ONLY time can tell whether it will be necessary to occupy Germany with military forces for 25 to 40 years, as suggested by the Belgium representative to the foreign minister council. In the face of Germany's record of trampling over its neighbors through the years of history, it is apparent that Germany will bear watching until definite assurance is provided that she shall never again be in a position to foment war.

Belgium's position in this regard is well understandable. Belgium has taken the brunt of German oppression twice in the span of 25 years.

It probably will not be necessary to maintain the tight military control over Germany through a period of 25 years that is being maintained at the present time. Control of Germany's war making industries and constant watch of Germany's foreign relationships probably will be sufficient in itself to guard the peace, after the first few years of German readjustment to a peaceful economy have passed.

Maintenance of a watchful eye on German operations in the future does not mean and should not mean destruction of Germany's ability to maintain a peaceable economy. That would be a tragic error which must be avoided with the same vigilance that is required in preventing Germany from gaining another stranglehold on its neighbors' throats.

Other Editorial Comments

PLEASE—NO MORE CAPONES (Milwaukee Journal)

Once the name of Al Capone was one to command awe. He was king of the underworld, the Croesus of the racketeers, the overlord of the bootleg gangs. He was public enemy No. 1 and revelled in the title.

Capone was the product of the letdown in morals and morale at the end of World War I. Now we are in much the same kind of period at the end of World War II. Are we to have more Capones, or do we have enough sense to avoid that?

There is plenty of evidence that racketeering and gangsterism are just as much a threat to American life, good government and morality today as they were in the early days after World War I. But there is no reason why America must bow to another Capone. The tough saloon bouncer with the knife scar across his face rose to unprecedented power and wealth because he wasn't caught and put where he belonged when he was still a little gangster in New York. The American public, seeing the peril, need not allow that error to be repeated.

The preventive is eternal vigilance. There must be stern intolerance of the little rackets, the small time gambling and vice, and the black marketeers and bootleggers who sell outside the law. Americans must insist on the complete integrity of their agencies of government, particularly the police, the prosecutors and the courts. There must be no winking at "fixing" or corruption or intimidation, if the door is going to be kept closed against the little gangsters who are scheming ceaselessly and cleverly to expand their rackets.

The death of Al Capone should at least remind law abiding Americans of the necessity for these fundamental precautions, without which we invite a successor to Capone's vacant throne.

Take My Word For It

Frank Colby

READERS WANT TO KNOW

Long Beach: In a letter to a local paper one A. C. M. declares that the word "Americanism" has no official definition and should be relegated to the scrap heap of old saws. What do you say?—J. H. S. J.

Answer: See "Americanism," page 84, Webster's New International: "(1) Attachment or loyalty to the United States, its traditions, interests, or ideals. (2) Custom peculiar to the United States or to America; an American characteristic or idea. (3) A linguistic usage, especially a word or phrase peculiar to English as developed in the United States." That's official enough for me.

Omaha: What is the correct plural of the flower named iris?—Mrs. B. C. M.

Answer: It's irises, pronounced: EYE-riss-eez. The dictionaries also show the plural as irides, pronounced: EAR-i-deez.

World Events Analyzed

BY MARQUIS CHILDS

Washington—"Man Bites Dog" is still pretty much the prevailing rule of thumb for determining news values. A good fight is always page 1, but a peaceful settlement is likely to be buried in the back of the paper.



Childs

It is important to remember this in connection with what is happening to the British empire. The British Labor government has just reached an agreement which will make Burma a free nation within a short time.

When that news was carried at all, it was carried in small type on the inside pages. But if Britain had been preparing to send an expedition to hold Burma by force, as France has been doing in French Indo-China, we would have had banner headlines.

This playing-down of the news may help to explain why those of the Henry Wallace school go on talking about imperialism, just as though nothing had happened since the time of Rudyard Kipling and the white man's burden. Actually we are witnessing a revolution of the most far-reaching consequences.

—BRITISH EMPIRE CRUMBLES—
This revolution had its beginning at least 50 years ago, shortly after Britain reached the peak of her position as empire-builder and order-keeper. The trend has been consistently the other way ever since. Now we are witnessing the whirlwind finish of that revolution in all its awesome meaning. Great Britain is moving out of India, Burma, Egypt, the cornerstones of the empire of old.

But the critic who still thinks in terms of Kipling says, "Well, why don't they get out right away? Why are they still there?" There are several potent answers to that question.

To begin with, you can't simply pull out after 200 years as you would give up a hotel room. There are vastly complicated questions to settle before the final moving day.

Second, habit is very strong, particularly the habit of rule as it has been engrained in the British civil service in the empire. These civil servants do not like to surrender authority. They may even resist the change, although at the seat of government in London it is clearly recognized as inevitable.

In the left wing of the labor party they favor pushing this process much faster, and for a very practical reason. Labor members of parliament such as R. H. S. Crossman and Michael Foot say that Britain can no longer afford to police the empire and, incidentally, the rest of the world. London can no longer afford it either in money or in men.

At the end of 1946, Great Britain had approximately 1,500,000 men in the armed forces and the auxiliary services, including the Royal navy. The Crossman-Foot wing of the labor party believes that this figure must be reduced to not more than 800,000 or 900,000. The British are faced with a desperate shortage of men. They are looking in every direction to try to make up a deficit of at least a half million workers.

On the money side, the short-term outlook is almost as grim. With a goal of raising exports 75 per cent above the pre-war level, at the beginning of 1947 the increase was only about 10 per cent. And as British Journalist J. L. Garvin said, in what must have been one of the last articles he wrote before his death last week, "The easy sellers' market is running out like the American loan."

It is time to stop talking about "imperialism" as though Gunga Din were still carrying gin slings to the complacent British Raj. While the shreds of that old order cling on, the empire system is actually a part of history.

It is time to start thinking of what the nature of the world will be as order-keeping forces of Great Britain are withdrawn. Above all, it is time to think of our responsibility in this new world.

Here is a small example. On Nov. 1 we agreed to exchange ambassadors with India. This was an important and historic step, marking one of the milestones on India's road to independence. The Indians, faced with internal problems of overwhelming magnitude, hope we will send as ambassador a man of stature who can be friend and counselor to them in their present ordeal.

Three months have gone by and no ambassador has been named. So far as is known, no names are under consideration. Minor, yes. But that kind of shirking will not help the world get through this difficult transition period.

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Just Before the Battle, Mother



Good Morning!

By The Bugler

COFFIN NAILS.—We see by the papers that a Rep. Louis E. Anderson of Northport is proposing that the state legislature place a two-cent tax on each package of cigarets. Reason for the proposal is—of all things—to bring additional revenue to state coffers. In other words, you take it from one cougher and give it to another cougher.



Dunathan

The proposal seems to us to be un-American, discriminatory and will certainly result in a Michigan tobacco party patterned on the historically famous tea party in Boston. It is taxation without representation, and as one addicted to the weed, we hereby serve notice that we intend to write to our Delta county representative, Roy A. Jensen, and let him know how we feel about this.

DIRTY BUSINESS.—We don't know whether Rep. Anderson smokes, and offhand we can't recall whether Rep. Jensen smokes cigarets or not, although we believe he does. We do know that he has seen him at work with a chevron of smoke tucked comfortably in his lip, and presume that he has some sympathy for the nicotine addicts.

To single out cigarets for taxation, and to exempt pipe tobacco, cut plug, snuff, cigars and cubens is certainly discriminatory. There is dirty business afoot when one class of smoker is taxed and the others are let off scot free. The whole thing seems to hark back to the days when the cigaret smoker was considered outside the social and moral life of the community, while the man who puffed on a pipe or cigar, who chewed tobacco and used the big brass cigar holder, was an upright and solid citizen.

DARKENING A DOOR.—As we say, it harks back. In fact it harks way back to the days when a young man calling on his young lady, would have been ashamed to smoke a cigaret in front of her parents as to have asked to keep her out at the roller rink later than 10 p. m.

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INTO THE PAST

By WS Bureau

Ten Years Ago
St. Ignace—Workmen at Rogers City were fitting out two tug boats today to assist in pulling the grounded railroad ferry Chief Wawatam off a rocky shoal in the Straits of Mackinac.

L. L. Farrell, supervising engineer for the Works Progress Administration here, announced yesterday that approval has been received on a project known as 21-6-1118, which is a supplemental project providing for the completion of the Ludington Park restaurant. The work on the project will start on Feb. 20.

L. J. Jacobs, president of the Escanaba Chamber of Commerce, yesterday issued a statement calling attention to the splendid humanitarian work now being conducted in the flood area and urging citizens of this community to lend support to the cause.

During the month of January 23.5 inches of snow fell at Escanaba, making a total of 53 inches for the season so far, and giving the present winter a good start for setting a high record compared with the yearly average of 59 inches, taken over a period of years.

Twenty Years Ago
Wendell Lund, son of Rev. and Mrs. C. Albert Lund of Escanaba, was elected valedictorian of the 1927 graduating class at Augustana college here today.

Miss Vera Hoffman of Milwaukee has taken over the duties of the kindergarten teacher at the Barry school.

Washington—Senate action on a resolution declaring for enactment of tax reduction legislation at this session was stayed off today by Republican leaders.

Norval Baptie and Gladys Lamb two of the world's most famous figure skaters, and Gladys Robinson, one of the best women speed skaters, will be seen in an exhibition at the Gladstone rink next Sunday. It was announced here last night by Peter C. Dube, who has been handling the negotiations.

Two more juvenile hockey teams have been organized in North Escanaba. They will hop into the league which is being formed under the direction of Rev. Fr. Raymond Bergeron of St. Patrick's church.

Then she looked on admiringly. Finally she began lighting matches for his smoke, then holding one of the evil things in her hand. Now she brazenly puffs away while holding out her own package for her escort to take one.

UNWRITTEN LAW.—In a diminishing segment of our society there are persons who are more or less firmly opposed to smoking. And for some reason they consider the cigaret as the most detestable form of smoking—probably because cigaret smokers are now much in the majority.

Usually these anti-cigarett forces are composed of older persons influential in church and school affairs. Perhaps it is for this reason that smoking among the school teachers of a community is circumvented. Many of them do not smoke at all. Many of them do smoke, but seldom publicly, and they avoid smoking in the presence of youngsters.

The old unwritten law that a school teacher must be an example rather than a part of the community and social life is changing, fortunately for the teaching profession. No one should be required under any code of conduct to attend to the enjoyment of a cigaret while sitting in front of an open window in the dead of night, hurriedly puffing the

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON

Washington—The splurge of recent air crashes is causing considerable worry to the secret service agents responsible for the life of the President.

The secret service is afraid the day may come when the President's special plane, "The Sacred Cow," may also encounter a bad weather or mechanical trouble. They also know something about the President's propensity for taking off, rain or shine, and it keeps them awake at nights thinking about it. When he wants to go someplace, he simply goes.



Pearson

Result is that a quiet campaign is under way inside the secret service to persuade the President to abandon air travel generally. They want him to take the train—as President Roosevelt did on almost all occasions. FDR enjoyed train travel. It rested him and gave him a chance to get caught up with his correspondence. Truman, however, loves the speed of an airplane. He can get to Kansas City in four hours whereas it would take him two nights and a day by train.

The secret service has never recovered from the scare it received on Christmas, 1945, when Mr. Truman flew home to Independence in weather that had grounded all commercial airlines. However, the President is a hard man to persuade, and his secret service body-guards are not any too optimistic about the chances of keeping him grounded. The best thing they can really hope for is a new and larger plane from the war department in the near future.

MARSHALL IN BRITISH CABINET

If a Britisher were permitted to sit in on an American cabinet meeting, a howl of protest would go up from the isolationist press. However, here is a conversation which Gen. Phil Fleming, chief of the office of temporary controls, had with friends after Gen. George Marshall's first appearance at a cabinet meeting as secretary of state.

"Though George has been a topflight official in Washington for a long time, this was the first real cabinet meeting he ever attended," said Fleming. "At least, it was the first one in this country."

"What do you mean?" Fleming was asked. "Well, you see, General Marshall began attending cabinet meetings on foreign soil. He was present at three meetings of the British cabinet during the war."

—NO MUD-SLINGING—TRUMAN—
President Truman's private directions to his staff on harmonizing with the GOP-controlled congress may be summed up in three words:

"Keep it impersonal."
Truman doesn't want any part of those free-swinging, name-calling bouts with the Congress that kept the press galleries scribbling when Franklin Roosevelt was in the White House.

At the same time, he has told the cabinet that he won't duck a scrap when "honest differences of opinion" arise. "We will have our differences with Congress," the President told his staff recently. "We are bound to have them. However, I am convinced that I can get along with Congress as long as we keep our quarrels on an impersonal basis. Let's lay off the personality stuff."

—THE NEBRASKA UNDERTAKER—
New Hampshire's sharp-tongued Senator Charles Tobey, is getting the same reputation as another high-principled Republican individualist, the late Senator George Norris of Nebraska. Strangely enough, Tobey's victim is usually the irresponsible Nebraska undertaker, Kenneth Wherry, who succeeded Norris in the Senate.

During the debate on the Senate Small Business Committee Wherry was first interrupted by Senator Allen Ellender of Louisiana, who asked why he had proposed a new special Small Business committee, rather than extending the old one. Wherry's answer was tortuous and labored. Finally Ellender blurted out:

"My suspicion is that the Senator wants a new resolution adopted so that he can be chairman of the committee, and not permit the Senator from Iowa (George Wilson), who is the ranking member, to be chairman."

Heatedly, Wherry replied that he had known all along this was what Ellender was getting at. It was of no importance to him, he insisted, who was named chairman of the new committee.

"But I think I have seen quite a few articles in the press in which such a suggestion is made," replied Ellender. "Yes, in Drew Pearson's column," Wherry shot back.

"And we can make a pretty good guess about it," said Ellender, smiling. "Yes," Drew Pearson, Drew Pearson," shouted the gentleman from Nebraska.

—CAPITAL CHAFF—
Alert Senator Brewster of Maine, giving colleagues an off-the-record report of his recent Latin American trip, disclosed that British agents are selling British planes all over Latin America and outselling the USA. They are taking orders for delivery on jet planes which will be far ahead of our transports. In two years, Brewster predicts, the British will force Latin Americans to use British-type instruments for landing, thus making difficult for American planes to operate on the same fields.

A Moscow professor reports that a frog, endowed with a heart transplanted from another frog a year ago, is still hopping around. Having somebody else's heart gives lots of people the jumps, too.

It makes you feel better just to think of those who think they would be perfectly satisfied if they were in your shoes.

Take a tip from the liquor dealers! They sure are keeping their spirits up!

There's many a roughneck in a stiff collar.

—Clint Dunathan.

FLORIDA TOWN FORGES AHEAD

Avon Park Draws New Industries And Business

Avon Park, Fla.—Like many other towns in Florida, Avon Park prior to World War II earned income largely from two sources—citrus fruits and tourists. But the war caused a change in the community's economy with the result that leadership by the local weekly, the Avon Park Sun, is bringing rich returns in diversity of employment, higher wages and improved standards of living.

The Sun early in 1943 recognized the unsoundness of the prewar type of economy shortly after a large army air base was established just outside the community limits. Avon Park was the only close shopping and recreation center for the 6,000 soldiers and their families. They brought new peaks of prosperity to the town.

Business men of the community were ready to respond when W. M. Hetherington, then editor of the Sun, urged that the town take stock of itself in an effort to hold at least a major part of the wartime business after victory.

One of his editorials urging action said in part, "Let us think what we have in the way of facilities to serve a growing population after the war."

Surveys revealed that hundreds of men and women who served at the air base would return to Avon Park if offered suitable employment. The same was true of young folks from the community who had entered the armed services.

It wasn't easy for the Sun to discuss the problem for "oldsters" in the town were content with things as they were. But in another editorial, Editor Hetherington said, "If we want to hold our young people and attract others from outside we must have a better balanced economy."

Action followed his demand. Civic bodies joined forces in surveys to determine what the town had and what it needed. A local committee for Economic Development, headed by Dr. R. H. Jordan, retired professor of education of Cornell university and the chamber of commerce, united to seek the facts.

The Women's club was enlisted to make a door-to-door survey to find out what postwar markets might be expected and to learn what commercial services were required in the town's shopping center. The chamber of commerce wanted to know what industry might be organized.

The results of these surveys indicated that potential buyers would spend more than \$3,000,000 in durable goods as soon as they became available and that the community needed a new restaurant, a bakery, improved motion picture entertainment, a farm service center and a modern hospital to serve the community.

The industrial survey revealed several opportunities. Fruit grown in the region was shipped as far as 150 miles to be processed so one possibility seemed to be a canning and processing plant in the community. Another was utilization of war training airport.

Said the Sun as it gave banner headlines to the surveys as they were completed: "The carvass has given the people of our city reason for optimism as to the future and has more than repaid the time spent in its compilation."

Thereafter Hetherington and his successor, G. Kelly Lyons, continued reporting plans to create more jobs.

J. A. Johnson, now president of the chamber of commerce brought to the community the headquarters of the Flamingo Air Service, Inc., with a fleet of multi-engine aircraft to move perishable products.

New stores were lengthening the business street and many of the enterprises, listed as lacking when the surveys were made, started operation. A large scale hospital will be built in the community, the first appropriation now available.

The projected new industries include a grapefruit canning plant where close to 500 workers, drawn from points within 30 miles, work in assembly line fashion to "sectionalize" truckloads of grapefruit from nearby growers.

With these employment opportunities, wages have more than doubled in the lower income groups. As the planning went forward, the two editors of the Sun called attention to the slums in which families were forced to live because of low income.

C. H. Walker, president of the Florida Citrus Exchange took the lead in a housing program and today modernization of existing buildings and construction of other low cost units is well underway.

Within a few years townspeople believe the 1940 population of 3,500 may be doubled. They know that family income is higher than ever before, that homes are replacing hovels and that better community facilities are assured.

Just a year and a half after the war's end, each of the objectives to which the Sun pointed in 1943 has been reached or is in sight.

Salesman Baffled By Double Take

Denver, (P)—After thieves looted his automobile of merchandise he carries as a salesman, Carl Ashcraft loaded the vehicle with \$164 worth of suits and other clothing and sat in his darkened house to catch the marauders if they returned.

They did and departed with all the clothes after Ashcraft fell asleep by the window.



IT TAKES PATIENCE—Walter Hanson, employee of the Reiss Coal company, has a fishing shanty on the ice not far from the place where he is employed. Hanson was photographed by a Daily Press cameraman as he was patiently waiting for a nibble.



WOMEN FISHERMEN—Quite a number of women have been taking up the ice fishing sport this winter. Here is Mrs. Hildur Turnquist, Sheridan road, pulling up a perch in her shanty, located near the ore docks. Anglers are catching many perch and a considerable number of walleyed pike this winter.



ICE FISHING IN FULL SWING—Scores of shanties dot Little Bay de Noc from Escanaba to Gladstone this winter now that ice fishing is in full swing. Ice fishing offers an opportunity for relaxation for many folks. Above, Claude Fisher and J. E. L'Heureux are shown warming up in their shanty.

Redwoods Found In Central China, Says Paleobotanist

Berkeley, Calif., (SS.)—Redwoods, long supposed to be an American monopoly, have been found growing in central China. Prof. Ralph Chaney, University of California paleobotanist, has disclosed the information was sent to him by a Chinese botanist, H. H. Hu, who discovered three trees obviously closely related to our Sequoias in a temple grove. Although the trees are closely akin to American Sequoias, they are sufficiently different to be included in a different genus, which has been named Metasequoia. Probably the trees owe their survival to their presence in the temple grove, where they were protected against cutting in a timber-short and fuel-starved land. Another ancient tree genus Ginkgo or maidenhair tree, now

widely planted as an ornamental in this country, was similarly preserved in Asiatic temple groves. Curiously enough, the name Metasequoia existed before the living trees were known to exist. For the trees found by Mr. Hu are identical with fossil remains of an ancient redwood genus found clear around the northern hemisphere, to which the name had already been given.

But Cop Didn't Take Horse's Hoof Prints

Pittsfield, Mass.—When Patrolman Francis E. Dwyer serves as day desk officer he gets all the facts. Howard T. Clark came to report that as he was driving east on East Housatonic St., a horse drawing a Model Dairy milk cart turned in front of him. Dwyer noted "Clark car struck horse, not injuring him. Horse's name Sam."

SPECIAL POLICE OUT ON FRIDAY

New Enforcement Group Takes Over Escanaba Sports Patrol

Escanaba's city police department will be superseded by a new and vastly different policing organization next Friday Feb. 7, when a force, with authority duly delegated by the EWSC, fetchingly and appropriately uniformed, will patrol the streets in a concerted drive against all procrastinators and neglectful individuals—and sour-pusses, too, if there be any in Escanaba during Winter Carnival Week—who have not purchased or are not wearing the white oval button issued as a license for fun by the Escanaba Winter Sports Club.

The new police force, staffed by the very handsome young ladies of the recently formed Escanaba chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority, will descend upon the city's crowded business section on Friday night, seeking anyone foolish enough not to have provided himself or herself with a Winter Sports button.

Most people realize that a Winter Sports carnival costs money. Stage and most people realize that such an event more than pays for itself by the advertising value and by the number of people drawn thereby into the community. And most people realize that the sale of Winter Sports buttons provides the wherewithal to get the ball rolling. What most people don't seem to realize is that they themselves—he, she or it—you and you and you—are individually responsible for the purchase of one oval-shaped Winter Sports button. Yes, and for the purchase of another one if you're careless enough to lose the first.

The new and ultra-potent police force, appropriately uniformed in sports clothes and armed with authority duly delegated by the Escanaba Winter Sports Club, intends to remedy any such lack of realization on the part of the Escanaba public.

"Escanaba," said Jackie Courneene, social chairman of the Sigma Beta Phi, "is going to be both sports-minded and sports-button minded when we finish the campaign we have lined out."

The drive is under the joint sponsorship of Sigma Beta Phi and the Kiwanis' Boys and Girls Committee, of which Jack LaMotte is the chairman.

Stephenson Vets Institute Active

Stephenson, Mich.—Nineteen veterans of World War II from eight townships in Menominee County are actively pursuing courses of instruction at the Veterans Institute of the Stephenson Public Schools.

Arthur Boye of Daggett township is enrolled in a full-time course of instruction and is preparing to enter Michigan College of Mines.

Carl Peterson, Louis Schuster, Carl Bastien, Francis Thome, all of Stephenson township and Robert Menke of Ingallston township, Louis Kass of Menominee Township, Roy Borden and Wesley Nelson of Daggett township, Oren Pierce of Gourley township, and Marvin Ray of Nadeau township are enrolled in On-the-Job Training programs in agriculture.

Thomas Dufour, George Szabo, Henry Bartels, and Robert Riebel of Stephenson township; and Emil Martin and Stanley Sadlowski of Harris township; Earl Mientz of Daggett township; and Wilfred Grondine of Spalding township are enrolled in training programs in the Trade and Industry division.

Twenty-two additional applications are on file from Menominee County and ten applications are on file from Bark River in Delta County.

Edmer Lacosse is director of the Veterans Institute. E. W. Granskog has charge of the programs in on-the-job training in agriculture. Albert Kipfer has been approved as an instructor for the supervised farm visits. Other instructors will be approved later.

Safety Conference

The second of a series of three conferences will be held at the Stephenson high school Thursday evening, Jan. 30.

Ralph Sheehan is director of the conference series. Earl Ferns, instructor at the Michigan College of Education and John S. Gucky, instructor at the Graverat high school, will present various phases of the problems of safety education with special reference to driver education.

The schools represented at the first conference were: Hermansville, Powers, Harris, and Stephenson. Other schools are expected to send representatives for the balance of the series.

The third and last conference will be held Feb. 7.

German Patrols Are Cut By Constabulary

Bamberg, (P)—Using the red pin and map system, the Army's police force has narrowed down the "trouble spots" in Germany to such an extent that road patrolling is due for a sharp slash.

The constabulary clocks 7,000,000 miles a month now and chews up a million gallons of gasoline.

Trouble turns up mostly in the large cities and in certain "frequency" points where there are either heavy troop concentrations or the population is sprinkled with lawless German or displaced person elements. The constabulary decided to concentrate its patrols in those areas.

Adult Education School Will Reopen This Week

The Adult Education School will open its second term this week and will continue 10 weeks until the closing exercises to be held April 9, Charles Folio, director, announced yesterday.

Those enrolled already need not pay additional fees for the second term. First term students also may enroll in new classes without additional charge. At the closing exercises to be held in April at the Wm. W. Oliver auditorium, certificates of achievement will be awarded to students with 75 per cent attendance and a special program will be presented.

TWO NEW CLASSES

Two new classes, one in labor-management relations and the other in drafting, will be offered at the adult education school during the second term. Ray LaPorte, office manager of the Solar Furniture company and former president of the Escanaba Trades and Labor Council, will have charge of the study group in labor relations. University of Michigan study materials will be used. The class will be held at the junior high school, room 254, 7:15 p. m. Wednesday night, Feb. 5, and each Wednesday night thereafter. The drafting course, in charge of Erwin G. Wolfe, will be held at the junior high school, room 151, at 7:15 o'clock each Monday night.

Following is the schedule of courses for the second term, starting this week:

Monday Night
Furniture repair and carpentry—Junior high school shop.
Knitting—Junior high school, 203.

Tuesday Night
Photography—Contact Harry J. Gruber, State Bank.
Sewing—Senior high school, 201.

Wednesday Night
Typewriting—Senior high school, 301.
Swedish for beginners—Junior

high school, 204.
Drafting—Junior high school, 151.

Tuesday Night
Welding—Bonifas Technical School basement.

Wednesday Night
Art—Junior high school, 151.
Conversational Spanish—Junior high school, 207.

Improve Your English—Junior high school, 206.
Furniture repairing and carpentry—Junior high school shop.

Knitting—Junior high school, 203.
Machine shop—Bonifas Technical School.

Sewing—Junior high school, 159.

Conversational Swedish—Junior high school, 204.

Welding—Bonifas Technical School.

Fly fishing—Junior high school, 153.

The Escanaba chapter of the SPEBSQSA will meet at the Sherman hotel dining room 8:30 o'clock Monday night.

If there is sufficient interest, another class in furniture repairing will be offered at the Bonifas Technical School Tuesday evenings, with E. John Nicholas as instructor.

The Escanaba Civic Theatre, which has been added to the adult education program, has room for more men and women to take part in its activities. Those interested are urged to call either Mrs. A. M. Gilbert or Whitney Dixon.

OLD DISEASE

Malaria is one of the oldest known diseases of mankind. It strikes 300,000,000 people annually and causes 3,000,000 deaths, with India alone having about 100,000,000 cases a year.

NAMED FOR HIM

Sequoia big trees are named for George Guess, Cherokee Indian chieftain, better known as Sequoyah, and inventor of the Cherokee alphabet.

Smith Shipyards Sold To Christy

Sturgeon Bay, Wis. (P)—The Leatham D. Smith Shipbuilding Co. ended 60 years of shipbuilding yesterday when the title to the yard which has produced 94 World War II fighting ships and thousands of private and commercial craft was transferred to the new Christy Co.

Leatham Smith, former owner of the shipyards, drowned last summer with three other persons when his yacht Half Moon capsized in a Green Bay storm. His widow has managed the yard since the tragedy.

The new corporation, a local concern, was formed chiefly of men associated with the Smith company. They include C. R. Christianson, assistant general

manager and superintendent for 23 years; Hugh MacLean purchasing engineer; Bernard Linenau, personnel and labor relations manager and Lloyd E. Randall, cost engineer.

The company was founded by the late owner's father and uncle and originally was known as the Leatham & Smith Shipbuilding Company. The firm reached its production peak during the last war with a payroll of 5,000 employees.

RECOVER RACE HORSES

Warsaw, (P)—The Polish government has recovered 1,200 horses which were shipped to Germany during the Nazi occupation. Many are race horses which have been signally successful on Polish courses.

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BIG 3 MEETING IS NOT LIKELY

Truman Sees No Need Of Conference With Other Powers

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
Washington, Feb. 1. (AP)—President Truman ruled out the possibility of a meeting with Soviet Prime Minister Stalin and British Prime Minister Attlee unless they are willing to come to Washington.

He told a news conference he would be pleased to meet them here any time but he sees no need to leave the United States for such a conference, and, in fact, sees no need for a "big three" meeting.

In this, the chief executive appeared to take a position in conflict with the reported views of Stalin. The Russian chief was quoted by Elliott Roosevelt in Look magazine as saying he thought there should be not one but several big three meetings and that "they would serve a very useful purpose."

On other diplomatic topics Mr. Truman said:

1. He knows of no American plans for removing United States citizens from Palestine. Shortly afterward, State Department Press Officer Michael J. McDermott said any Americans who desire to leave there can get out and no special arrangements are necessary.

2. He has no plans to visit Canada to return to forthcoming visit here of the Canadian governor general.

LABOR PEACE STEP LAUDED BY PRESIDENT

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tional disputes unless the conflicting unions desire. Otherwise inter-union squabbles will be handled by AFL's internal methods. Green said last week these were making "slow but steady" progress.

An escape clause also bars the joint committee from handling disputes between the AFL and any employer "on whose operation a non-union condition exists." Strikes which result from an organizing drive thus would not be covered.

Young Couple Buys Three Shiny Cars On Deposit Of \$40

Detroit, Feb. 1. (AP)—A young couple was caught today after police said they drove away three shiny 1946 automobiles for a cash outlay of \$40.

They were identified in warrants charging them with passing fraudulent checks as Thomas Yount, 24, and Vivian Yount, 25, presumably man and wife.

Det. Lieut. Harry Smith said Yount, alone or with the woman, visited three used car lots Thursday and arranged to buy a Buick convertible, a Buick sedan and a Pontiac coupe. He left deposits totalling \$40.

Yount used the name of Jerome Fine, son of Raymond Fine, a Detroit business executive, Smith said, and gave the father's name as a credit reference.

On Friday, according to the detective, the youth made the rounds again, passed out checks totalling \$4,890 purportedly signed by Raymond Fine and drove the cars away one by one.

Police were called after Fine told the dealers the checks were not his and that his son had purchased no cars. Mrs. Yount, employed by Fine's Electrical Company, was missing and so were six of the firm's blank checks, the police officer said.

Lowry Field Under Quarantine; Vaccine Rushed For Disease

Denver, Feb. 1. (AP)—Medical officers today rushed inoculation of 14,000 men at the Lowry Field Airbase, under quarantine for respiratory diseases, as new cases were reported.

Col. Robert J. Platt, post surgeon, said 400 active cases were under treatment, and that additional cases had been reported during the day.

An army cargo plane left Lowry Field late today for Grand Island, Neb., to obtain additional medical supplies, and a truck was sent to Camp Carson, Colorado Springs for similar items.

Medical officers said 15,000 units of the vaccine flown in last night were deemed sufficient for needs.

Col. Platt issued the following statement:

"There has been no decided increase in cases turning in at the station hospital, or into barracks set up in air group areas. However, there have been a number of new cases reported today."

Medical officers at the post said the illness runs a four-day course, beginning with sore muscles, aching joints and dizziness.

TRUCK CRASH KILLS 3

Erie, Mich., Feb. 1. (AP)—A head-on crash between two heavy trucks on US-24, one mile south of Erie, Mich., claimed three lives today.

State Police identified the victims as: G. B. Brown, Providence, Ky.; Alonzo Hayman, Cincinnati, Ohio; both drivers, and Charles W. Anderson, about 30, Erie, Mich., garage mechanic, Anderson rode in one of the trucks.

Woodchuck Boon To Remington, Savage, Winchester Arms

Today is the celebrated Groundhog's day, upon which date every newspaper in the country, barring a few ultra courageous ones, and perhaps The Daily Worker Worker if Moscow has figured no ideological line upon this particular superstition, will dutifully come out with ground-hog stories.

You know—if the ground hog sees his shadow we'll have six more weeks of winter. Up here in

PHONES REACH REMOTE FARMS

High-Tension Lines Are Used To Transmit Voice

New York—Telephone service for isolated farmers out of the economical reach of ordinary telephone lines is now being provided by two different methods, the American Institute of Electrical Engineers were told today.

In one, where high-tension power lines exist, a new carrier telephone system has been developed which operates directly over the power lines at the same time that they are carrying the electric currents for which constructed. The other makes use of radiotelephone party lines.

Apparatus and methods employed in making use of the high-tension power lines were described by J. M. Barstow of the Bell Telephone Laboratories. The instruments were made by Western Electric Company, and installations were a cooperative undertaking with the U. S. Rural Electrification Administration.

"Carrier telephone systems may be applied to rural power distributing systems up to 20 miles long," he said. "A special carrier drop wire connects the subscriber's telephone with a coupling unit usually located on the nearest high-tension power pole. Considerable amounts of special equipment, fuses and filters, safety switches, and protectors must be used because of the high tension carried on the power line."

A complete carrier system can serve six party lines of eight parties each. Either manually operated or dial telephones can be used. Experimental installations, with subscriber participation, have been found satisfactory.

The first successful rural radiotelephone party line, serving eight isolated ranches in Colorado, was revealed by J. Harold Moore, American Telephone and Telegraph Co.; Paul K. Seyler, Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Co.; and S. B. Wright of Bell Telephone Laboratories. It is an experiment, and the experience gained will be used to develop a standard system.

In the radiotelephone service, each subscriber's telephone is connected to a miniature radio station. The station beams its messages to the company's central radio station, where a switchboard operator connects the call with a telephone on a standard line, or rebroadcasts it to some other radiotelephone subscriber.

CAR KILLS BANKER

Hastings, Mich., Feb. 1. (AP)—Fred W. Stebbins, 68, vice president of the Hastings City Bank and a civic leader for many decades, was struck by an automobile tonight and was dead upon admission to Pennekamp hospital.

RUTH HAS GOOD DAY

New York, Feb. 1. (AP)—Babe Ruth "had a good day," and his condition is satisfactory, French hospital announced tonight.

The home run king underwent a neck operation almost a month ago.

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Royal Family Hits Turbulent Seas On South African Trip

With the Vanguard at Sea, Feb. 1. (AP)—Britain's mighty warship Vanguard, bearing the royal family on a three month empire-strengthening mission to South Africa, steamed tonight into choppy seas and the prospect of a gale on the first night out.

(The British News Agency exchange telegraph said the Vanguard escaped a floating mine 20 miles west of the island of Wight. The battleship passed the mine when it was less than two miles off the port bow and floating into the course of the royal ship. The mine was discovered after the Vanguard had passed through a sea lane formed by the home fleet, and the escorting vessels immediately put up a special lookout.)

A forecast of rougher weather failed to interfere with the first day's schedule of relaxation, exercise and diversion for King George, Queen Elizabeth and the two princesses.

Soon after the escorted Vanguard drew out of snow-swept Portsmouth harbor early today the royal family strolled on deck in the wan sunlight. Later they took another walk in the cold air. Movies were scheduled as one of the main entertainments tonight.

Marshall To Take Delegation Of 100 To Moscow Session

Washington, Feb. 1. (AP)—Secretary of State Marshall told the Russian foreign office tonight he probably will take an official delegation of 100, including clerks as well as advisers, to the Moscow conference of foreign ministers March 10.

The state department also informed the Soviet foreign office that 73 American correspondents, photographers and broadcasters have applied for visas to attend.

The size of the official delegation may vary somewhat below or above 100, said Michael J. McDermott, state department press officer. Previously he had said the number of correspondents who can attend will depend largely on the size of the official delegation since the Russians have indicated that the larger the official group, the smaller the number of correspondents who can be accommodated.

The Russians cite tight housing conditions in Moscow and say they have only limited accommodations at the Moskva hotel for all the American, British and French officials and correspondents.

Births

Last Friday, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Scott, of 307 N. Sixteenth street, at St. Francis hospital. He weighed 5 pounds and 14 ounces at birth, and he has been named Frederick Leonard.

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BARBED WIRE BARRIERS UP IN JERUSALEM

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might be necessary because the agency had "failed to take its own steps to curb terrorism."

As Jewish leaders met to discuss developments, one report said Hagan, the armed force of the Jewish resistance movement, had been put "on the alert" for a possible move against terrorist groups.

Work patrols from the British Army turned out at dawn in rain and mud to restring barbed wire barricades and renew defense installations. Blocks of flats in Jerusalem used previously as officers' clubs were made more secure by barricades, indicating they were being taken over as compounds. An entire 30-house section in Jerusalem's Katamon quarter was surrounded with a double thickness of barbed wire, presumably for use as a principal compound for government officials who have been ordered into security camps.

Wives Won't Leave

Meanwhile, housewives, businessmen and government officials continued to protest the action of the Palestine government yesterday in ordering the evacuation to Britain by Tuesday of all British women and children and some non-essential civilians.

Wives of Palestine police officers were given the option of staying with their husbands, if the latter agree. The women, banded together in the Saronia encampment at Tel Aviv, declared "we stay."

Wives of British soldiers who moved into "married officers' quarters" last night learned they would follow the civilian wives to the United Kingdom.

Evacuation operations will be in charge of the Army, and every effort will be taken to safeguard the comfort of the evacuees.

Freed Ex-Convict Held In Marquette For Theft Of Auto

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 1. (AP)—Michigan state police arrested on a car theft charge today a man whom they identified as Casimir Williwis, 41, an ex-convict freed last August after his arrest in a roundup of safe-crackers in Detroit.

He was held in Marquette county jail, charged with theft of a car in Detroit Jan. 19. Officers said the man possessed burglar's tools when arrested.

Williwis was involved in a wholesale escape from Marquette prison in 1923, but was recaptured. In 1945 he completed a 15 to 30 year prison sentence, given him in 1921 for robbery armed. He twice was paroled during that term.

Williwis was arrested with three others for questioning about Detroit burglaries. The other three were sentenced to prison, but Williwis was not held.

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Midwest Enveloped In New Cold Wave; Relief Due Monday

(By The Associated Press)

A new sub-zero began enveloping the midwest Saturday and cooler weather spread east to the Atlantic Coast.

Temperatures dropped lower than 25 degrees below zero in North Dakota and special cold wave warnings forecast minimums of 25 to 30 below in Northern Minnesota, -20 to -25 in Northwest Wisconsin and -10 to -15 in Northern Iowa. The zero weather was expected to extend as far south as Northern Illinois by Sunday morning.

A brief but somewhat heavy snowfall preceded the cold front as it spread eastward. In Chicago, the temperature dropped from 27 to 19 degrees in a half hour and the heavy overcast skies plunged the loop into temporary darkness at midday.

The cold was expected to start moderating in the midwest Monday. With few exceptions, conditions were rapidly returning to normal where heavy snow or sleet impeded transportation and hampered communications earlier in the week.

President Stands Firmly Against Increases In Rent

Washington, Feb. 1. (AP)—President Truman stood firm today against rent increases except where landlords are up against hardship while Senator Capehart (R-Ind.) cried "pure politics" at Mr. Truman's order quashing a general increase.

The president told an unusual Saturday news conference:

1. He still is determined to hold the line against any blanket rent increases.

2. There should be some adjustments where rents are so low as to work a hardship on the property owner.

3. He has no intention to penalize Maj. Gen. Philip B. Fleming, head of the Office of Temporary Controls, for the mixup that occurred Wednesday when an order by Fleming for a general 10 per cent increase was drawn up. It was subsequently killed by the president.

Wells News

Wells, Mich.—The Wells P.T.A. will be held Wed. Feb. 5th at 8:00 p. m. The following Founders Day Program will be given:

1. History of the Wells P.T.A.—Mrs. Fred Potvin.

2. Radio Script "With Faith and Hope"

Announcer—Tom Kroll

Narrator—Denise Harbath

Mrs. Birney—Marlene Blake

Mrs. Hearst—Edna Eguin

Miss Taylor—Carol Winchester

3. Reading "Our Fiftieth Year"

—Miss Isabel Cass

4. A Candlelighting Playlet

"Burn, Candles, Burn"

Ideal—Marlan Beauchamp

Hope—Edna Seguin

Courage—Marlene Blake

Co-operation—Janet Pearson

Wisdom—Roberta Gardner

Diligence—Dolores Jacobsen

Comradeship—Carol Winchester

Six Members—Theresa Blanche, Mary Jeanette, Dufour,

Louise Blanchette, Dorothy Kroll,

Jean Hoes, Jacqueline Liberty

After the business meeting

lunch will be served with Mrs.

Joe Casey in charge.

Pvt. Rudolph Kozar, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Ignace Kozar, 11 N.

Highland avenue, has arrived

safely at the Army Air Base in

Konoya, Japan. In a letter which

he wrote on Jan. 18 and which ar-

rived here Saturday, he states

that he had a pleasant trip and is

now stationed in a hotel. Pvt.

Kozar is going to school to learn

to be a radio operator. He left

from San Francisco before Christ-

mas and passed through Yokohama enroute to his destination.

After three months of schooling he will be shipped elsewhere.

Nancy Lee Pilon, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pilon, 6

Main street, celebrated her

seventh birthday by having a

group of little friends to a party.

Games were played and lunch

was served with a large birthday

cake as the center of attraction.

Those who attended the party

were: Nancy Jean Liberty, Suzanne Klug, Katherine Lindsey,

Dorothy Dufour, Janet Judd, the

Jacobson twins, Mary and Dona

May, Mildred Bellefeul, Mary

Ann Vanderville, and Dona Mary

Lindsay. For the prizes Suzanne

Klug found first, Nancy Jean

TOTAL HIGHLY PADDED, SAYS PARTY LEADER

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cent clash, some 15 or 10 and "in some cases nothing."

This would mean a sharp revision of Knutson's bill, putting biggest emphasis on relief for the small incomes.

Parents May Block Rebound Nuptials Of English Girl, 17

Welch, W. Va., Feb. 1. (AP)—Eileen Edwards, 17 and pretty, couldn't raise London on the Trans-Atlantic telephone again to 'ay, so she still hasn't got her parents' consent to wed Theodore Crabtree on the rebound.

Eileen attempted her second call with the help of the Welch Daily News. She tried it yesterday from a pay booth but the telephone company wouldn't put her through.

The British girl needs her parents' consent to marry Crabtree, a coal miner at nearby Superior, W. Va. They fell in love while he was on war-time duty in London. Crabtree yesterday got this cable from Eileen's mother, Mrs. Kathleen Edwards:

"If Eileen not marry Al, I won't consent marry you. Will have her deported."

"The Al" in the case is Arnold Buesing of Waterloo, Nebr., another former GI who also courted Eileen in London.

He met her at the boat with a wedding ring when she arrived from England at his expense. He took her to his sister's home at Yackville, N. C., for the ceremony. Eileen disappeared three hours after they got there. Buesing traced her to Crabtree's home at Superior.

Liberty, second, and Mary Jacobson, third. The children enjoyed a peanut hunt. Nancy Lee received many lovely gifts.

A "Pack" meeting of Wells Cub Pack 414 will be held at the Wells school at 7:30 Monday evening.

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IODINE-GOITER THEORY FALSE

New York Doctor Finds Some Contradictory Evidence

BY JANE STAFFORD
New York (SS).—The generally accepted theory that lack of iodine in food and drinking water leads to development of one kind of goiter is contradicted in a study by Dr. Isidor Greenwald of New York University College of Medicine here.

A scientific controversy may well be started by Dr. Greenwald's findings which he himself terms "startling" in his report in the Journal of Clinical Endocrinology.

Just last month State Senator Thomas C. Desmond, of Newburgh, N. Y., announced he was starting a drive to compel iodization of all table salt in order to prevent goiter. About the same time the State and Territorial Health Officers recommended federal legislation requiring the addition of iodine to all table salt.

Iodine in Goiters
The amount of iodine in goiters and large thyroid glands is greater or as great as the amount in normal glands, Dr. Greenwald points out. Consequently he says the cause of the goiter could not be a scarcity of iodine. He cites figures on the iodine content of goiters and thyroid glands from published reports starting with the discovery of iodine in the thyroid in 1896 to 1934, date of the latest publication on the subject.

A second point Dr. Greenwald makes against the iodine lack as cause of goiter theory is that proponents of the theory "have not properly controlled their analytical techniques nor their collection of food, water and excreta."

Giving iodine to people in so-called goiter belts has not reduced the incidence of new goiters to zero, he states on the basis of reports published by other authorities. Altogether Dr. Greenwald has critically reviewed over 100 scientific publications on the subject of lack of iodine causing endemic goiter. An increase in goiter is the reason given by State Senator Desmond for his drive to have all table salt iodized.

Starting point of Dr. Greenwald's study was his interest in history, he told me.

Great Lakes Belt
Telling his students, as he did year after year, about the Great Lakes goiter belt, he one day wondered why in all his reading of history he had never found a reference to goiter among the Indians of the region. Digging into the history, he found instead mention of the fact that the Indians there did not have goiter. He was surprised that the early explorers would mention the lack of goiter in Indians. It would be expected that they would either report noticing goiters if these were prevalent, or fail to mention the condition if it was not present.

Having convinced himself by further study of history that goiter did not exist in the Americas or in New Zealand before the coming of the white man nor in England before the eighteenth century, he turned to his study of scientific reports. He is now planning experiments of his own on the thyroid gland. Previously he has investigated the physiology of the

Morale Big Factor For Polio Victims In Iron Lung Ward

BY ELEANOR GRIESEMER

Baltimore, (AP)—If you're traveling the long, hard road towards working your way out of an iron lung, you don't travel fastest by traveling alone.

That's the unanimous opinion of the eight iron lung infantile paralysis victims at Children's Hospital School who make up the only respirator unit in the country.

"Maybe it's the morale boost—the competitive spirit to see who can stay out of his lung the longest," Mrs. Everbertha Gibson, one of the patients, explains. "Somehow, after being here a few weeks you find you can do without the respirator for longer and longer periods of time."

Mrs. Gibson was stricken with polio a year and a half ago in Poughkeepsie, N. Y. When she came here last fall, shortly after the unit opened, she could stay out of the lung only a few hours at a time. Now she can stay out eight consecutive days.

Dr. George E. Bennett, director of the hospital, explains it this way: "Morale plays an important part in rehabilitating respirator patients. As soon as they overcome their fear of being out of the iron lungs, they've made a first step toward re-educating their muscles and learning how to use accessory muscles so they can breathe independently."

This type of physiotherapy is a new approach to the long-term respirator cases. The Center is still in an early stage of development, but Bennett says "it ought to set a national pattern."

The Center was set up last August with a \$250,000 grant from the Maryland branch of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. Since then, patients have come in mobile units by plane and overland from as far as Florida. All have the same goal—to throw off the "crutch" which makes it almost impossible for them to live at home.

Usually these patients are scattered over the country in hospitals which are not equipped to give them either the special care of the "lift" of being with other patients similarly afflicted.

Hope Woolley was a junior at Elmira College in Ithaca, N. Y., two and a half years ago, when the polio virus struck. She came

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Even Chickens Have Temperament, Says Trainer For Movies

By HERBERT D. WILHOIT

Hollywood, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Did you ever see chicken with personalities?

They have 'em, and temperament, too, on the word of David Twiford, the man who trained chickens for the movie version of "The Egg and I."

He's speaking, mind you, of the feathered "stars" of the picture, not the "extras" or atmosphere chickens appearing in flock scenes. He dismisses those loftily as "a dime a dozen."

Twiford's chickens are selected with discretion, trained with patience and well paid, too, netting him about \$150 a week—the weeks he works. In fact, talking to Twiford you get the idea that the chickens are THE PICTURE, with Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray sort of incidental background.

Starting with a premise that most chickens are stupid or flighty, or both, Twiford selected a half-dozen from among 2,000 at a poultry ranch. One "star" chicken won't do, it seems, or even a star and a stand-in. Twiford had to have a star-in-multiple.

"Trouble is, a chicken has a one-track mind," he said. "I trained one chicken to set—just stay put in a wagon wherever it went. That was all right, but I couldn't use that same chicken for some other sequences. They just don't have enough brain power."

"So I trained another chicken to do nothing but follow Percy Kilbride (Paw Kettle) around.

Then there's a scene where the chicken stops in front of Miss Colbert like it's saying 'which way' and when she points 'that way' it clucks off down the lane. And there's one at the county fair where the chicken trots through a lane of pens and hops up on the judges' stand.

"You can't make one chicken do all those things; you gotta train 'em for one particular job. But I select chickens to match in the first place. Nobody'll know which chicken's doing what."

Twiford exhibited a little temperament himself when he refused to disclose "my real training secrets."

"Got too much competition," he explained. "Can't tell the other guys how I work or, blooze, goes my business."

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SOCIETY

Immanuel Ladies' Aid Program Today

The Ladies' Aid of Immanuel Lutheran church is sponsoring a "fireside hour" in the church starting at 5 o'clock this afternoon which will include a program, social hour and pot-luck supper. All members and friends of the congregation are invited to attend.

The program for the event is as follows:

Devotions, Mrs. Gust Johnson; address of welcome, Mrs. Clarence Gerdeen; vocal solo, Mrs. Norman Hanson; reading, "As Others See Us," Mrs. L. R. Lund; reading, "Hold High the Cross," Mrs. Victor Peterson; solo in Norwegian, Mrs. Norman Hanson; talk, "The Fields That Are White Unto Harvest," Rev. L. R. Lund.

Afghans Sent To Veterans Hospital

Three more beautiful hand knit afghans were sent to the William Beaumont general hospital at El Paso, Tex., by the Junior Red Cross yesterday. These colorful warm afghans are for the use of light weight wool coverings such as knit afghans is still urgent in all veterans hospitals. Mrs. John Luecke, Junior Red Cross chairman, stated. Those shipped yesterday were made by Miss Mary Barth, Miss Ethel Barth and Miss Caroline Hamacher.



ENGAGED—Mr. and Mrs. Emil Moser, Route 1, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marie, to Joseph W. Hess, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hess of Bethesda, Md.

Personal News

Gordon Caswell, 626 South 12th street, is in Milan, Mich. where he has accepted a position in the educational department of the federal corrections institution.

Miss L. A. McRandle, 909 Ludington street, has returned from a trip to Chicago. She returned here Thursday evening.

Nancy Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Lewis, 109 South Seventh street, will leave Monday morning for Milwaukee where she will attend the Wisconsin Conservatory of Music.

John P. McCarthy, son of Mr. and Mrs. James McCarthy, 310 North 20th street, has been promoted to private first class in the army. Private McCarthy, who is stationed in the 32nd division, Company L, has been in service for five months and is now in Korea.

Mrs. O. T. Thorsen and daughter, Norma, who have been visiting at the home of Miss Marie Thorsen, 1019 First avenue north, for the past five months, are leaving this morning on their return to their home in Long Beach, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brandenberg, 101 Second street, who have been in Georgia and Florida for the past several weeks, for a winter vacation, are expected to arrive in Escanaba today. Mr. and Mrs. Brandenberg, enroute north, were marooned in Milwaukee by the heavy snow storm that paralyzed traffic in that district.

Mrs. Charles Molloy, 621 South 14th street, who has been convalescing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ward Sullivan, of Neenah, Wis., following an operation to which she submitted at Loretto hospital in Chicago is returning to Escanaba today.

Bill Pruett, student at the University of Michigan, is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ranguette, 1401 South 13th street.

Mrs. Robert Raymond of West Chicago and daughters, Paula Ann and Mary Sue, arrived Friday evening on the Peninsula 400 to spend a week here visiting Mr. Raymond's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Raymond, 901 First avenue north, and Mrs. Raymond's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Globie of Gladstone.

Mr. and Mrs. John Luecke, South 14th street, will go to Ishpeming this evening to attend the concert of the Chicago Symphony orchestra.

Ralph DeGrand who is attending the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor is spending the mid-semester vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DeGrand, 620 South 18th street.

Gerald DeGrand and Leonard Ward who are employed by the Pioneer Engineering company in Menominee are spending the weekend in Escanaba at the home of their parents, Gerald DeGrand is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DeGrand, 620 South 18th street, and Leonard Ward is the guest of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. James G. Ward, 513 Third avenue south.

Jack Bergman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Bergman of Bark River, who is a student at the University of Michigan, spent the semester vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Fortenberry and daughter, Ann, at Oak Ridge, Tenn. Mrs. Fortenberry is the former Rosella Bergman of Bark River.

William P. Flynn, who spent the semester vacation at the home of

Duplicate Is Drawing More League Players

BY B. M. HOWE

Duplicate contract bridge in the district is becoming more popular as it is throughout the nation. This week's session was larger, more enthusiastic and certainly seemed to get more pleasure and enjoyment than usual. Hands were unusual, bidding varied and spirited and the play of the hands brought forth many difficult and interesting problems to overcome, but to me the laughter and other evidences of enjoyment throughout the evening indicated that our club is fulfilling its purpose in a satisfactory manner.

The club should be larger. Hundreds of bridge players of the district, every one of them eligible for membership, should take advantage of attending at least a few sessions, just to see what they are missing. They are all cordially invited to do so. The club was created not only for the purpose of promoting the enjoyment of bridge competition, but also for the advancement of mutual sociability and enjoyment within our group. Non-duplicate players readily and easily adjust themselves to the few slight differences in method of play and usually become our most enthusiastic players and supporters. This we believe proves that any bridge player can and probably will enjoy our meetings.

The club is a non-profit organization, run for your benefit and enjoyment. We are affiliated with the American Contract Bridge League and issue fractional master points to our session winners. The club really means it when it says that you will be welcome. The larger the group we have the more fun for all of us; the greater the bridge competition will be, benefitting us all mutually. Sessions are held weekly on Friday nights at 8 o'clock at the Elks Club. Come out and enjoy yourself.

Winners for this week:

1. Mrs. Temby and Mrs. Howe.

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3. Mrs. Remington and Mrs. Treiber.

4. Mr. Holderman and Mr. Baldwin.

5. Mr. and Mrs. Dehlin.

6. Mrs. Needham and Mrs. Kremer.

7. Mrs. Lafond and Mrs. Shanahan.

8. Mrs. Hodson and Mrs. Clark.

9. Mrs. McLean and Mrs. Bennett.

Church Events

Bark River Aid

Salem Lutheran Ladies' Aid of Bark River will meet Wednesday evening, February 5, in the church parlors. Hostesses are Mrs. Chester good and Mrs. Warren Scarr. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Church Board Meeting

The official board of the First Methodist church will meet Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Trustees to Meet

The trustees of Bethany E. Lutheran church will hold a regular meeting Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

Presbyterian Session

The Session of the First Presbyterian church will meet at the church at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening.

his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William P. Flynn, Sr., 700 South Tenth street, has returned to the University of Wisconsin at Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Murray of DePere, Wis., are spending the weekend here visiting at the home of Mr. Murray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Murray, 410 South Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shepeck left Wednesday for a several weeks vacation in various parts of California.

Thaxter Shaw is leaving this morning on a business trip to Milwaukee, Chicago and points in Lower Michigan. He will be away for two weeks.

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Complete Board Of Club Listed

A complete slate of officers for the Orpheus Choral Club has been announced by the new president, making the entire board as follows:

R. Paul Bowers, director, with Miss Jessie Wick, assistant.

Mrs. Ann Piche, accompanist, with Mrs. Lilah Wylie, assistant.

Miss Jean Trantarella, vice-president and social chairman.

Mrs. Vivian Olson, treasurer.

George Weingartner, business manager.

Mrs. Viola R. McCormick, publicity chairman.

Music committee: Mrs. Tillie Olson, Mrs. Lilah Wylie, Vaughan Belanger and Lowell Sundstrom.

A full membership is requested to be present at rehearsal Tuesday evening as the date for the annual photograph is to be set, and other urgent business transacted.

Isabellas To Hold Supper On Feb. 10

The Daughters of Isabella, Trinity Circle 362, will hold a supper at St. Ann's hall on Monday evening, Feb. 10 at 6:30 p. m. Each member is asked to bring her own table service. Reservations must be made by Feb. 6 by calling Mrs. William Plansky.

Mrs. Percy Miller, Mrs. John Peltier or Mrs. Eugene Ethier. The committee chairman is Mrs. James Donovan and the co-chairman is Mrs. Joseph Bellin. The hostesses will include Mrs. John Peltier, Mrs. George Hurley, Mrs. Alfred Anderson, Mrs. Eugene Ethier, Mrs. John Jorgenson, Mrs. Mary Bruyere, Mrs. Leola Daigault, Mrs. Adrina Guindon, Mrs. Mary Nolden, Mrs. Julia Gannon, Mrs. Joseph LaFave, Mrs. Percy Miller, Mrs. Octave Boudreau, Mrs. Ernest Zilleu, Mrs. Thomas Tounsignant, Mrs. George Walker, Mrs. Joseph Peltier and Mrs. William Plansky.

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W. S. C. S. Meeting
The W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist church will hold a regular meeting Thursday afternoon, beginning at 2:30 o'clock, in the church parlors. Hostesses are Mrs. J. F. Bartlett, Mrs. Fred Johnson and Mrs. George Keiser.

Mary Scott Circle
The Mary Scott Circle of the First Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Clarence Zerbel, 920 South 13th street, Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 4.

Mrs. Henry Wylie is assistant hostess. Mrs. Victor Powers, local art teacher, will speak on painting. Ladies of the church and friends are cordially invited.

Pine Ridge PTA
The Pine Ridge PTA held a special meeting at the home of Mrs. Robert Rouse on Tuesday evening. After the meeting games were played. First prize was won by Mrs. L. A. Winling and second by Edith Rosenquist. A lunch was served by the hostess.

Pricilla Sewing Circle
The Pricilla Sewing Circle of the Immanuel Lutheran church will hold its regular meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Ellingsen, 1209 Washington avenue. Mrs. Ellingsen and Mrs. Erling Arntzen will be the hostesses.

To Attend J-Hop
Robert Temby, of 510 South Tenth street, student at the University of Michigan, will attend the J-Hop, Feb. 7 and 8, first dance on a pre-war scope, to be held at the university.

Evening Star Society
The Evening Star Society will hold its regular meeting on Thursday at 7:30 o'clock at the North Star Hall. Following the meeting 500 and pinocle will be played and a lunch will be served. The public is invited.

Salvation Army Home League
The regular monthly meeting of the Salvation Army Home League will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Salvation Army hall. The president, Mrs. Carl Larson, will be in charge of the following program: congregational

singing, Bible reading and prayer, duets and other musical numbers and readings. Among those participating in the program are the Salvation Army officers, Miss Gertrude Leaf, Mrs. Olga Nelson, Mrs. Elmer Johnson, Mrs. Chester Anderson, Mrs. Earl Palmateer, and Mrs. Harold Smith. Mrs. Carl Larson will be the speaker for the afternoon. Refreshments will be served and the public is invited. The hostesses will be Miss Lizzie Roman and Mrs. Simon Rinkenberger.

Railway Pension Club
The National Railway Pension Club Association will meet at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon in Grenier's hall. Games will be played following the business session, and Mrs. William Johnson is chairman of the program committee, assisted by Mrs. Walter Menard. Members and prospective members are invited to attend.

C & N W Women's Club
A meeting of the C & N W Women's Club will be held at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon in Grenier's hall, and cards will be played following the regular meeting. Mrs. William LaCasse is chairman, assisted by Mrs. Charles Lemke and Mrs. E. Lafreniere.

Social Club Party
St. Ann Social Club is holding a Valentine party Friday evening, Feb. 7, at the hall, immediately following devotions. Cards will be played, with high score awards, and a lunch will be served. Mrs. Melvin Carlson is chairman and Mrs. George Peterson, co-chairman of the party, and assisting on the hostess committee are Mrs. Joseph Gregory, Mrs. Harold Valentine, Mrs. Joseph Cota and Mrs. Charles Turan.

St. Mary's Guild
St. Mary's Guild will meet in the Guild hall of St. Stephen's Episcopal church Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Hostesses are Mrs. Barnett Mills and Mrs. Joseph Rouse. A question box will be one feature of the meeting.

Past Matrons Club
The Past Matrons Club of R. C. Hatheway Chapter No. 49, O. E. S., will meet at the home of Mrs. Elmer Swanson, 429 South 17th street, Monday afternoon at two o'clock. Election of officers will

be held. Attendance of all club members is urged and visiting Past Matrons are invited.

Guild Dinner
A dinner meeting of the Wesleyan Service Guild of Central Methodist church will be held Monday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the church. Hostesses are Mrs. Earl Haddy and Mrs. John Holland.

St. Stephen's Guild
The St. Stephen's Guild will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. E. P. Sawyer, 300 Lake Shore Drive. Mrs. C. W. Malloch will be assisting hostess.

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Invitations Mailed For Musicians' Ball

Invitations for the Musicians Ball, to be held Feb. 13 at Terrace Gardens, have been mailed out and anyone who may have been overlooked can secure invitations from members of the committee. They are Bill Clark, Staff LeDuc, Chet Marrier and Dave Wolfgram of Escanaba and Leo Deroeck, of Gladstone.

The semi-formal dance, an annual affair in prewar years, is being reinstated now after a lapse of several years because of the war.

Invitations may be exchanged for tickets at Gust Asp's, Feldstein's and Nuway Cleaners, Escanaba, and at the Norge Electric and Frank's Market, Gladstone. Patrons are requested to make their reservations early.



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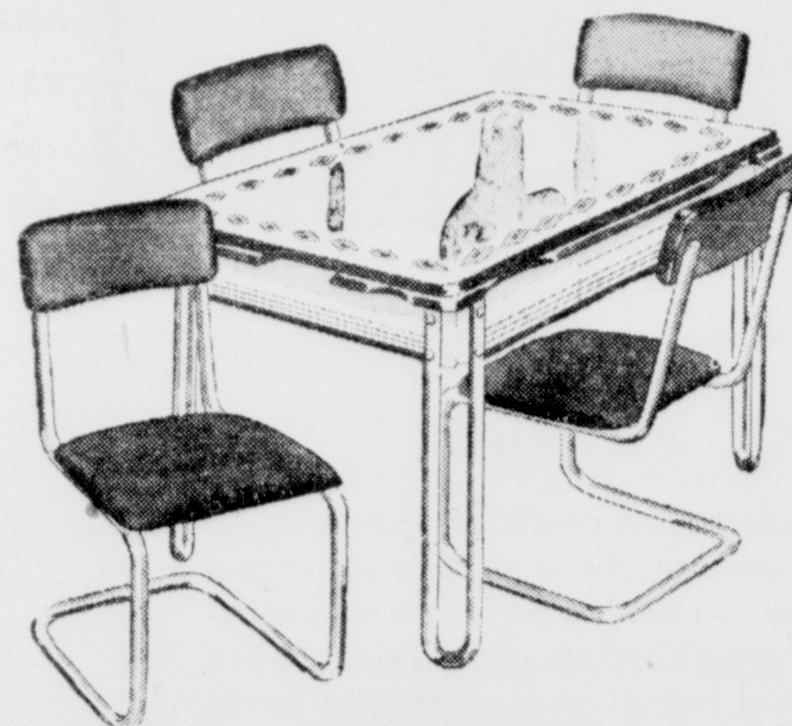
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Delta county's 1947 Red Cross drive, one of the most important solicitations of funds of the year, the purpose of which is familiar to every man, woman and child, will open officially on Monday, Feb. 3, Nevin Reynolds, general chairman, announced yesterday.

It is planned to make every effort to make this drive the shortest in the history of the county and it is believed that contributions will well exceed the quota of \$12,500, which is only one-half of that raised in the 1946 drive.

Edward Kasun has been appointed by Mr. Reynolds as chairman of the business solicitation. He will be assisted by Claude Tobin, Jr., who has been working diligently organizing this division of the drive.

There will be no home solicitation in the City of Escanaba this year, but anyone who wishes to become a member of the American Red Cross may do so by leaving his donation at the Red Cross office or mailing it to Thaxter Shaw, treasurer, 611 Ludington street.

Captains for Ludington street, appointed by Mr. Kasun, are as follows:

- 500, Mrs. Dave Alperovitz
- 600 Claude Tobin, Jr.
- 700 Jack Reynolds
- 800 Eleanor Jensen

Nation Urged By Truman To Join 'March Of Dimes'

Washington, (AP)—President Truman appealed tonight on the birthday anniversary of Franklin D. Roosevelt for support of the March of Dimes campaign against infantile paralysis.

The usual special dances and theater programs which featured the Roosevelt anniversary celebration during the former President's lifetime were missing as Mr. Truman made his address over the major networks.

The President, speaking from the White House, said that "if there is one of you who has not yet joined the March of Dimes, I urge you to go now and enlist."

"The millions spent last year on medical care and treatment, on research and education, must be replaced if the fight is to go on," he declared.

He recalled that his predecessor, a victim of the disease, brought the National Foundation for infantile paralysis into being in 1938.

Mr. Truman said the first epidemic of infantile paralysis which raged along the eastern seaboard nearly 30 years ago caught the country unprepared.

"The total dead for that epidemic was more than 20 per cent, most of whom were young children. And most of those who survived were permanently crippled," he continued.

"The second of the two epidemics struck last year—first in Florida, then in Alabama, Texas, Minnesota, Colorado, Missouri, Kansas, the Dakotas, Wisconsin, California, Illinois and all along the Mississippi Valley. Last year, the disease was more widespread, and the cost of treating the stricken had risen very high—but thousands achieved complete recovery and only five per cent died."

The President credited this record to a better education in the knowledge of the disease.

Briefly Told

Carnival Chairman—Richard C. VanDeWeghe of Rte. 1, Gladstone, is general chairman of this year's Michigan College of Mining and Technology Winter Carnival. VanDeWeghe is a graduate of Escanaba high school and a senior student of mechanical engineering at Michigan Tech.

Stamp Collectors—The Escanaba Philatelic society will hold its February meeting at three o'clock this afternoon in the city hall council chambers. All stamp collectors are invited to attend.

Hospital

Charles "Skipper" Stratton, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Stratton, 1010 Second avenue south, is a surgical patient at St. Francis hospital, recovering from an operation for removal of appendix.

Citrine, although not as hard as topaz is said to be more durable.

Fugitives Strictly From Refrigeration

Waterloo, Ia. (AP)—During a recent cold wave, a business establishment here, in a bill of complaint filed against the janitor of the building, offered, as exhibit A, a thermometer.

This thermometer, witnesses testified, was kept for several hours in the electric beer refrigerator, but when it was removed and placed on the back bar, it dropped four degrees in an hour.

Citrine, ranges in color from palest yellow to deep orange-red.

Supervisors Blame Kelly Regime For State Money Pinch

Lansing, (AP)—Responsibility for the state's financial "muddle" resulting from the passage of the sales tax diversion amendment was placed with former Governor Kelly and the Legislature for "failure to cooperate with the State Association of County Supervisors."

Officials of the Association charged that the sales tax diversion amendment had been proposed after the governor and the Legislature had refused to heed their recommendations for the return of an "equitable portion" of the sales tax to local units of government.

The Association, at the same time, indicated it would offer no suggestions to solve the state's financial difficulties.

"The sales tax diversion amendment was not proposed by us, and we have no solutions for the financial muddle the state finds itself in as the result of its passage," said Charles Larned of Muskegon, chairman of the Association's Board of Directors.

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Garden

Scout Meeting

Garden, Mich.—A meeting of Girl Scouts was held at the home of Mrs. Ulysses Maynard, Wednesday evening to plan for the Court of Awards to be held Wednesday Feb. 5. All committee members and all troop members were present and were served popcorn and punch under management of their leaders, the Misses Mildred Purtil and Marcella Winter. Registration was made for next year.

Storm

Because of the blizzard which struck here Thursday morning schools closed early in the afternoon session so that buses might get through. A wind of high velocity blew for several hours before snow fell, about mid morning.

Briefs

Max Wakeman of Lansing came Wednesday evening to spend a few days at the Ulysses Maynard home.

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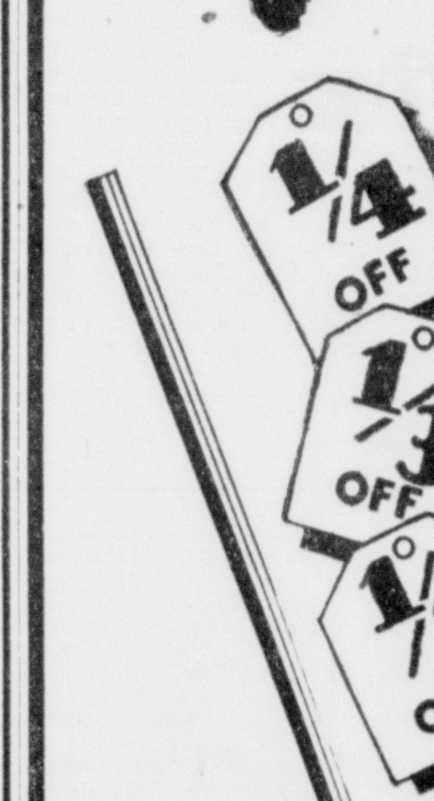
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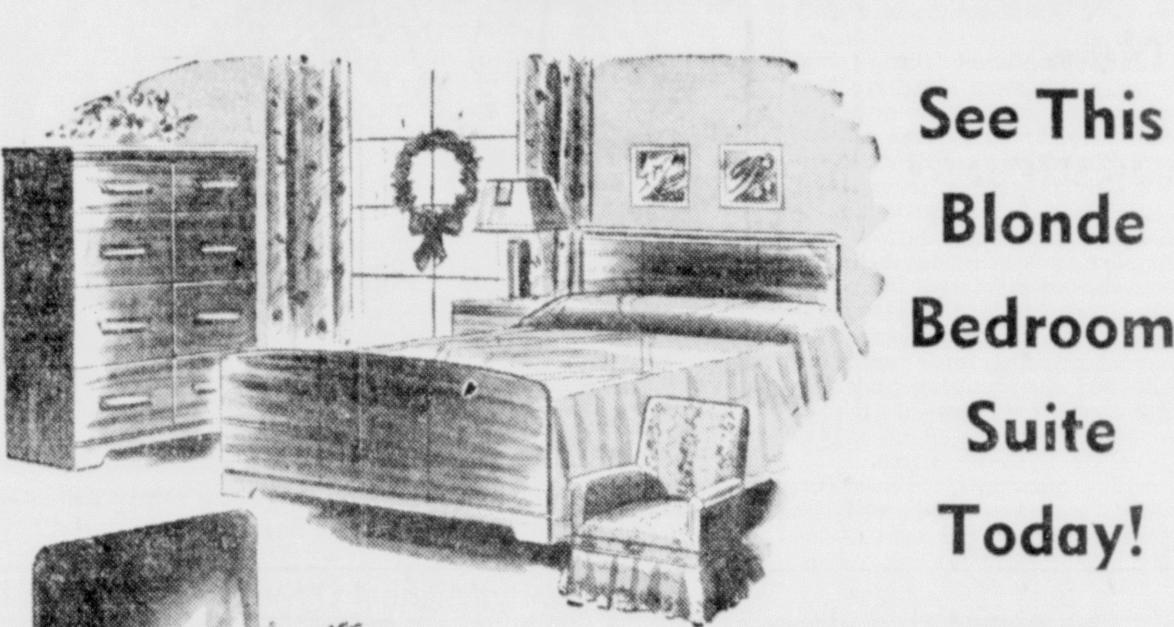
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Visiting Agent To Offer Vocational And Medical Aid

Munising—Thomas J. Northey, field agent for the State Vocational Rehabilitation Agency, will visit the Munising MSES office Tuesday, Feb. 4, to discuss medical attention or vocational training with those persons desiring such consultation. Walter G. Meyland, MSES manager here, announced yesterday.

The State Vocational Rehabilitation Agency has corrected deformities and given medical attention to many persons in Alger county, the local manager said, and added that this agency is also equipped to give a course of training in almost any field of occupation to individuals who are no longer able to continue in their present occupation. This service, Mr. Meyland said, is unique in that the total expense is borne by the state.

Mr. Northey will also visit the itinerant points of Chatham, Traunk and Trenchy on Wednesday, February 5. Persons interested in discussing their problems with him are urged to contact him personally or make an appointment with MSES personnel at the local office in Munising.

Manistique Girl Dies; Sister Of Local Residents

Munising—Miss Lois Dougherty, age 20, daughter of Mrs. Lillian Hewitt of Manistique and sister of George Dougherty and Mrs. Katherine LaFave, both of Munising, died late Thursday evening at the Shaw hospital in Manistique where she had been taken a few hours previous. She had been in delicate health for several years.

Besides her mother and her brother and sister in Munising, she is survived by her father John Dougherty of Wayne, N. Y.; brothers, John, Ogdensburg, N. Y.; Corp. Robert, U. S. Army, Germany; Harold, Wayne; and Donald and Franklin at home. Three other sisters also survive her. They are: Mrs. Lillian Rogers and Mrs. Patricia Willour, Manistique; and Mrs. Muriel Gonzy, Wayne.

Funeral services will be held Monday morning at 8 o'clock in the St. Francis de Sales Catholic church in Manistique. Burial will be in the Fairview cemetery.

Conservation Club Will Hold Rabbit Hunt And Meeting

Munising—Members of the Munising Conservation club going into the field Sunday morning as participants in the club's rabbit hunt, will have an excellent opportunity to swap their hunting experience with others just before and after the club's regular meeting on Monday evening.

The rabbit hunt Sunday will get underway at 9 a. m., it was announced, and all persons interested are asked to meet at the city firehall at that time.

The regular meeting of the club on Monday evening will be held in the Legion club at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

MUNISING BRIEFS

Miss Flora Smith returned yesterday from Detroit where she had spent a week's vacation with her sister.

Rev. Einar Soderberg and a group of YAF members attended the Symphony concert at Ishpeming Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ennett of Ishpeming are weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Tinkham.

MRS. DELANDA PERRON

Munising—Funeral services for Mrs. Delanda Perron who died Friday morning after an illness of two years, will be held Monday, Feb. 3, from the Sacred Heart church at 9 a. m.

Rev. Fr. Gerald Harrington will officiate. Interment will be made in the vault at Maple Grove cemetery.

ITINERANT SERVICE

Munising—Francis Cauchon, veterans counselor, will visit itinerant points of Trenchy, Traunk and Chatham on Wednesday, Feb. 5.

Mr. Cauchon will be at the specific points at the following hours: Wednesday, Chatham, 1:00 p. m.; Traunk, 2:30 p. m.; and Trenchy, 3:00 p. m.

Meyland Discusses Employment Trend In Alger County

Munising—Although the number of job applicants has decreased during the month of January, the number of job openings available has increased from three to sixteen, Walter C. Meyland, local MSES manager recently said while speaking of the employment trend in Alger County.

Out of a total of 287 persons actively seeking work and on file at the local office during the January period, 133 were from the itinerant service points which include Chatham, Traunk and Grand Marais areas. The number of persons placed on jobs in Alger County during the month totaled 41, Mr. Meyland said and added that the present low turnover rate was unusual in that a year ago the rate of employment was tremendous. Persons presently employed in Munising's factories are presumably remaining on their jobs therefore accounting for the low turnover, Meyland stated.

Speaking of the future employment status, Meyland said he anticipated that after the current month there will be some industrial expansion which will create the existing labor supply somewhat but that by Mid-Spring when local industries resume building operations, the supply of available workers will be nearly exhausted.

Persons seeking employment outside this community are urged by Meyland to contact the local office for complete information on Federal and State civil service announcements which are being received there with increasing greater frequency.

Munising KCs To Entertain Wives And Sweethearts

Munising—The Munising Council Knights of Columbus will have their wives and sweethearts as guests at their social meeting to be held Monday evening, Feb. 3, at the K. of C. hall.

William Wenzel of the Coast Guard station at Point will play a number of piano selections during the entertainment portion of the program, it was announced.

A short business meeting of the K. C. club will be held from 8 to 8:30 o'clock just prior to the social program. Lunch will be served at the close of the entertainment.

Bowling Notes

Munising—Games scheduled in the Bay Shore Women's major bowling league for Monday, Feb. 3, have been announced as follows:

7:00 p. m.—Beach Inn vs. Quins on alleys 1 and 2; Rebels vs. Chalmers on alleys 3 and 4; Leach vs. Spearman's on alleys 5 and 6.

9:00 p. m.—Miller's Grocery vs. Bay Shore Recreation on alleys 3 and 4; Bowmen's Home Furn. vs. Putvin's Drug Store on alleys 5 and 6.

EDEN CHURCH EVENTS

Munising—The senior Confirmation class of the Eden church will meet Monday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

The board of administration of the church will meet at 8:00 Monday night.

Long Strike Forces Paper To Suspend

Philadelphia, (AP)—The Philadelphia Record company announced suspension of publication of the Philadelphia Record and the Camden (N. J.) Morning Post and Evening Courier as of tomorrow and said the three papers have been sold to the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

Record Publisher J. David Stern in a statement said:

"This step has been taken only after careful consideration and discussion with my associates.

"The strike against the Record by the American Newspaper Guild (CIO) involving more than 400 people has gone on for nearly three months. It has been impossible to obtain a fair settlement which would assure this newspaper of its ability to discharge its obligation to the public."

Guild members have been on strike at the Record and the two Camden papers since last November 7.

The cactus wren is the state bird of Arizona.

Fame Of Western Badmen Fills A Phony Cemetery



GLAMOR IN THE GRAVEYARD—A hangman's rope and heads of long horn steers add color to "dead" with their boots on.

BY AL DOPKING

Dodge City, Kas.—Modern showmanship has proved too much for famous old Boot Hill where cowboys and outlaws, who talked out of turn, were buried with their boots on.

The original Boot Hill—the one that sprang up when this city of 10,000 was a lousy, gun-fighting town at the end of the cattle trail—had to give way to a phony one for the entertainment of tourists.

The city hall now stands on the site of the original cemetery. But there is another Boot Hill just off to the right of the municipal building's steps. Thousands of tourists annually gaze at it, grin and go on their way.

A series of faces in concrete lie among the buffalo grass. About six feet from each, concrete toes or boots stick out of the sod.

On rough letters headboards appear such epitaphs as "Angel Face Kid, killed in 1875," "Shoot 'Em Up Jake, run for sheriff in 1872, run from sheriff in 1876, buried 1876," and "Toothless Nell, shot and killed in dance hall 1873, I had a good mother."

From branches of a dead tree hangs a sign informing that

"Horse Thief Pete was hanged here."

The phony cemetery is a civic club inspiration. Host to a state convention, the Dodge City club decided to fix up a "Boot Hill" cemetery purely as a gag. Visiting delegates and Dodge City liked it so well that the phony one has outstripped the real Boot Hill's fame.

Merritt Beeson, son of an early day sheriff, contends Boot Hill's reputation always did outstrip the facts.

One story about the phony Boot Hill revolves around the holding of the premier here in 1939 of the motion picture "Dodge City." There was a big parade and everybody—movie stars and townsfolk—cut loose.

A popular visiting actor was "Big Boy" Williams, who suddenly decided he wanted to see Boot Hill at midnight. He lay down and fell asleep. He awoke the next morning to find his train had left. A new sign then appeared in Boot Hill. Along with "Here Lies Two Gun Jim" and "Mysterious Dave" looms a headboard with this inscription:

"Big Boy Williams slept here."

Teen-Age Cattle-Raising Course Begins In Bank

By PATT WATTS

Fullerton, Calif., (NEA)—Teen-age youths in southern California's rural communities are getting practical training in cattle and credit.

When the boys, all members of the Future Farmers of America, become full-fledged cattlemen 10 years from now they will have a thorough grounding in bank credit requirements and the real problems of raising stock for profit.

Today, a group of 35 youths are investing in baby beef, averaging 375 pounds each. After a year of feeding and care (in after-school hours) the Angus Feeder calves will hit the scales at an estimated 950 pounds each and will be auctioned off.

Fullerton High School agriculture instructor Herbert Stitt arranged financing with Lloyd Mickelson, manager of the Bank of America branch at Fullerton, but individual financial responsibility remains with the boys themselves.

Mickelson talked to each of the boys, explained bank interest rates, procedure on notes and gave each an explanation on bank regulations. Together the banker and the prospective cattle buyer went over the plans for cattle raising and discussed how large a loan the boy needed and could carry.

The youthful cattlemen signed individual notes for \$110 for each

calf they bought. There were no co-signers.

Mickelson says the bank is interested in seeing that the boys buy better stock and understand how banking is done by cattlemen. In addition to the cattle loans, money has been advanced for raising chickens, rabbits and other stock.

Not all the boys get loans, and those who don't always get as much money as they want. The prospective borrowers must prove to the bank's satisfaction that their plans are good financial risks. So far the bank has loaned a total of \$1.5-million to teenagers interested in commercial ranching. The average loan has been \$44, and every loan has been repaid.

Mink And Foxes Flee From Ranch

Cedarburg, Wis.—About \$20,000 worth of fur coats on the hoof are running loose in the Cedarburg area today.

Several hundred mink and about 100 foxes escaped from their pens when the snow piled high and hid fences on the fur farm near Cedarburg.

The missing foxes include platinum, silver and white face. Today, fur farm personnel—equipped with skis and sleds—are hunting for their costly quarry.

This Curious World

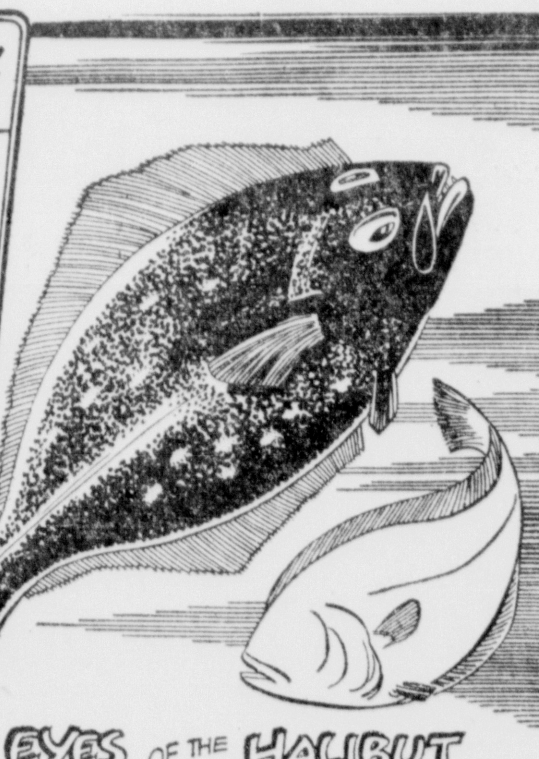
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DIESEL ENGINES ARE IMPROVED

Locomotives To Have Greater Power And Easier Control

New York, (SS.)—Faster, smoother, and more easily controlled diesel-electric locomotives were described at the meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, the growing importance of this type of railroad power is emphasized by the time devoted to the subject on the program.

A 200-ton, 3,000 horsepower diesel-electric locomotive, constructed for Seaboard Air Line Railway and dedicated to be the largest and most powerful locomotive of the type ever built in a single unit, was described by D. R. Staples of the Baldwin Locomotive works, and T. L. Weybrew and C. A. Atwell of Westinghouse, representing the two companies that built the pilot model of the new locomotive.

The locomotive has now been in both passenger and freight service for several months and, because of easy acceleration, has proved to give smoother riding for rail travelers. It has also shown other advantages. Its main trucks have eight axles, each with its own motor, and 16 driving wheels.

This results in a universal locomotive which can be used either in high-speed passenger service or heavy freight service in mountainous country by simply changing the traction motor gearing. As a passenger train engine, it has a maximum speed of 120 miles an hour; when geared for heavy freight, its speed is up to 65 miles.

A new power plant, regulating system for diesel-electric locomotives was presented by C. B. Lewis of General Electric Company. It incorporates speed and load control, recognizes the ability of the engine, permits maximum utilization of the engine's power and protects it from overloads. It can be used with the latest types of engines using superchargers.

With a few exceptions, he said, the present day diesel-electric locomotive consists of a number of power plants, operating in multiple and under the control of a single operator. The new system relieves the engineer of mechanical chores so that he can devote attention to the rail ahead.

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Farm Sales Hit An All-Time High As 'Back To Land' Movement Grows

Current Boom Is Not Speculation, Says Expert

Kansas City, Mo., (NEA.)—More farms are being bought today than ever before in the nation's history. A "back to the land" movement has been growing steadily since V-J day and now is in full swing.

"Tens of thousands of people who have wanted farms are now able to afford them," says E. A. Strout, a realtor whose firm sold \$33-million worth of properties last year. "Others have been troubled by food shortages, labor troubles and the world political situation generally. They want the security that is offered by an American farm."

Unlike the land speculation, especially in farms, during the early 1920s, "present buying has all the earmarks of bona fide investment," Strout says.

"About 85 per cent of all farm purchases since V-J day have been made with at least 50 per cent cash, and it is not at all uncommon for the buyer to put up 100 per cent cash."

Land speculators after World War I generally were buying farms with 10 to 15 per cent cash only to lose them in the depression a decade later, he says.

Except in Pacific coast states, Florida and Connecticut, farm realty prices throughout the nation have held to a five per cent rise over pre-war levels. On the Pacific coast, according to the Department of Agriculture, farm prices have shot up 14 per cent but are still 11 per cent below the 1920 inflationary peak. Florida and Connecticut price increases approximate those west of the Rockies.

Few Cheap Farms

"There are fewer cheap farms available now," Strout says. "A big percentage of the properties in the \$1500-\$5000 bracket have been sold, but all indications point to continued heavy buying of the better class farms for which there were few takers in the pre-war years. These farms, east of the Rockies, have advanced very little in price. In today's market they represent a sound investment."

The Department of Commerce's last report of agriculture trends reveals that more than 188,000 more owners are operating their farms than in 1940 and that 500,000 fewer farms are operated by tenants. Both facts were chiefly noticeable in the South.

Farm homes have been modernized, the Commerce Department reports. Over 800,000 more farms have electricity and 300,000 more have telephone service than in 1940.

Farms, abandoned during the war years by men drafted into service or by others who migrated to industrial areas to take advantage of big wages, are being snapped up by returning servicemen, by city dwellers or are being incorporated into larger farms.

By next spring, Strout believes, the number of farms put back into production may add another 25-million acres to the nation's food resources and the total cropland throughout the country may exceed 350-million acres—if all who have bought farms since 1945 fully utilize their resources.

Strout questions, however, whether all such land will be utilized. About 50 per cent of to-

day's farm buyers are city dwellers, he says, and not all of them can be expected to compete in large-scale crop production.

City-farmers have their advantages, though, he believes.

"Urban people bring many benefits to rural districts, and they are not necessarily at a disadvantage because of their lack of practical farm experience.

"Those with business training are able to integrate farm pro-

duction with up-to-the-minute merchandising and buying habits. In many farm areas they have helped raise education and living standards."

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WELFARE CLUB MEETS FEB. 10

Picture Of Work Among Crippled Children To Be Given

Miss Jessie Waddell, R. N., Lansing, chief of the orthopedic staff of the Michigan Crippled Children's commission, will be the speaker at a meeting of the Child's Welfare club scheduled for Monday evening, Feb. 10, in the Gladstone Public and School Library. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock.

Miss Waddell will show pictures to illustrate her talk.

The talk is designed to give a picture of what is being done in Michigan today for the crippled child and will also show what can be done in the home to assist.

This is one of the adult education meetings planned by the club this year.

Parents are being urged to attend. There is no admission charge.

Social

Study Club

Mrs. Glenn Jackson will be hostess to the Study Club on Monday afternoon at her home, 1217 Michigan avenue, at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. H. J. Norton will review the book, "Brideshead Revisited" by Evelyn Waugh.

Local Man Denies Criminal Offense

Charged with a statutory offense, Melvin Sebeck, city, was arraigned this week before Justice of Peace O. C. Estenson and upon his plea of not guilty preliminary examination in the case was set for Monday, Feb. 3.

Nuernberg Fan Mail Splurge Is Fading

AP News Features
Nuernberg—The mail sacks at the Nuernberg prison are back to normal size.

Postoffice employees revealed today more than 20,000 letters came to the old jail during 1946 for the 21 high Nazis on trial for crimes against world peace. Eighteen were convicted, Goering was a suicide, 10 hanged.

Even after the executions, "fan mail" came from the condemned men, written in twelve different languages.

Most of the writers were Germans during the year, the French were the next most prolific and then the Poles who railed bitterly particularly at Hans Frank, hanged for his actions as governor of that occupied land. There was only a handful of letters from Americans, none from Russians.

Several letters were from the Middle West of the U.S., urging that the death penalty be commuted because there already had been enough "killings".

YEAST RAISES FUNDS
Warsaw — (AP) — Poland's state yeast industry is raising the national treasury receipts.

Income from yeast production the first eleven months of 1946 amounted to 1,049,000,000 zlotys.

Mary Jean Malott To Defend Birling Title

In a recent communication to Douglas A. Mathison, secretary of the National Roleo association, George T. Springer, its president, conveys the information that Mary Jean Malott, national women's birling champion, will defend her title at the National Championship Roleo to be held in Gladstone in July.

Miss Malott is a senior at Anderson College, Anderson, Ind., and will receive her B. A. degree in June. In commenting on the Roleo and its revival after suspension during the war years she

remarked: "News of the 1947 roleo has caused my birling feet to itch to get on a log again although it will probably be the last one I shall attend as my theological work will take all of my time after graduation."

The champion has never really been tested in defending her title with the exception of the battle between her and Bette Berkley, of Longview, Wash., in 1942, at Gladstone. Local birling fans will remember that struggle which took them to the No. 3 log before a decision was reached.

Briefly Told

Choral Club — The Gladstone Civic Choral club will meet Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the junior high music room for rehearsal.

Townsend Club — A regular meeting of the Townsend club is to be held Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at the city hall.

BRT Auxiliary — The Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will meet Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lawrence LaVelle at 1605 Dakota avenue. Mrs. William Mineau will assist.

G-S Troop 6 — Girl Scout Troop 6 will meet at the high school Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. June Madden is leader of the troop.

Study Evangelism — The parish evangelism group of the First Lutheran church will meet Monday evening at 7 o'clock in the pastor's study at the church.

SS Teachers — Sunday school teachers of the First Lutheran church will meet at the church Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Hurt In Fall — Mrs. Gunnar Wickman, Superior avenue, sustained a badly wrenched arm when she slipped on a snow covered icy surface and fell near her home Friday afternoon.

Methodist Church — At morning worship in the Methodist church this morning the choir will sing "O How Amiable Are Thy Dwellings" and the sermon will be on the subject "Paying Back What You Owe." There will be no junior or senior youth fellowship meetings today.

Legion Meeting — August Mattson Post, American Legion, will hold a regular meeting Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Legion hall.

**Buddy Gibbs Buys
Perkins Village Inn**

Purchase of the Village Inn at Perkins by Edward H. "Buddy" Gibbs was announced yesterday. The consideration was not disclosed.

The business was acquired by the well-known former ball player from Jim Looby who operated it for the past two years. Transfer of the business and property was effective yesterday noon.

Mr. Looby would not disclose his future plans but said he planned on remaining in Delta county.

Design for strato-vision airplanes to serve as radio transmitters at 30,000 feet calls for planes of 36-500 pounds gross weight, and two 14-cylinder engines of 1900 hp each.

Each year it becomes more devastating in New England and threatens new areas. The years 1945 and 1946 have been particularly difficult because leaf beetles have been unusually active, weakening the trees.

The invading disease spread from Ohio into Kentucky and West Virginia. From there it reached New Jersey, Pennsylvania and New York. It roved up the Hudson Valley to Saratoga Springs and moved eastward into Connecticut and Rhode Island. Massachusetts and Vermont were next attacked and the invasion continued northward into Canada. Meanwhile Maryland and Delaware were fighting the disease.

But the fight is also one of skirmishes by individual units all along the front. It is possible for individual owners to protect their trees, regardless of possible neglect of nearby trees, Dr. Bromley says.

The problem is to prevent elm leaf beetles from carrying the disease to the trees. Sprays of water-dispersible DDT applied to leaves and bark prior to periods of ex-

Frank Barbiaux Is Summoned By Death

Frank Barbiaux, 76, city, died late Friday afternoon at the Delta County Infirmary where he had been for the past six months.

Barbiaux was born in Red River, Wis., Nov. 15, 1870. He resided in Gladstone for many years working for the Northwestern Cooperative and Lumber company. He retired from active work about 10 years ago.

Surviving is one brother, Sylvian Barbiaux, and one sister, Mrs. E. Gaggard, both of Green Bay.

The body was removed to the Kelley Funeral Home.

Funeral services are to be held Tuesday afternoon at the funeral home with the Rev. Clifford Peterson officiating. Burial will be in Fernwood cemetery.

City Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Siebert are leaving this morning for Milwaukee where they will attend the Wisconsin Retail Hardware convention.

Vincent P. Johnson returned Thursday evening from Rochester, Minn., where he has been a patient at the Mayo clinic for several weeks.

Leo Weingartner submitted to an operation for appendicitis on Wednesday at St. Francis hospital.

Freeman Empson, student at the Conservatory of Music, Lawrence College, Appleton, Wis., is visiting at the family home.

James Kallman, recently discharged from the U. S. Army, is leaving today for Ann Arbor, where he will attend the University of Michigan.

Smeat Tournament Continues Monday

Round Eight in the Masonic smeat tournament will be played Monday night at the Masonic hall. Pairings for the evening are Jones vs. Swenson, Erickson vs. Hanson, Fisher vs. Olson, Schiense vs. Caldwell, Ames vs. Alton, Bjorklund vs. Dausey and Strand vs. Tang.

Doing "KP" duty will be Walter Olson, John Brochaert, Irving Swanson, John Schram, Martin Caldwell, Al Tibergien, Swan Widar and Harvey Cowell.

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Obituary

ALBERT "SARGE" LARSON
Funeral services for Albert S. Larson, 53, veteran of World War I, are to be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Kelley funeral home, the Rev. Clifford Peterson officiating.

The body will be brought from the funeral home to the church at one o'clock Monday afternoon.

Military honors will be accorded the veteran with August Mattson Post, American Legion, in charge of this portion of the rites. Legionnaires and ex-servicemen are urged by Commander Fred Schram to turn out at the Legion hall at 1:15 o'clock to attend the rites. Persons having autos are requested by the Commander to take them as several will be needed to transport the men.

ANDREW ERICKSON

Funeral services, largely attended, were conducted yesterday afternoon at the First Lutheran church for Andrew H. Erickson, aged, longtime resident of Gladstone. The Rev. Clifford Peterson officiated.

During the rites Noble Swenson sang "No Night There" and "Nearer My God to Thee" in Swedish accompanied by Mrs. Carl Olson.

Serving as pallbearers were Matt Lundstrom, Matt Major, August Anderson, Hugo Lindquist, Axel Nylund and Charles Gustafson. Burial was made in the family plot in Fernwood cemetery.

Attending the rites from out-of-town were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gauger of Oak Park, Ill., and Ewald Erickson of Chicago.

The Kelley Funeral Home was in charge.

Stores Will Remain Open On Wednesdays

At a meeting of the Retail Committee of the City Club held Thursday morning it was decided that local retail establishments which heretofore closed Wednesday afternoons would remain open all that day in the future.

LEGION MEETING

MONDAY NIGHT
Feb. 3
LEGION HALL

8:00 p. m.
Clubrooms Open Sunday
at 11:30.

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OIL FURNACE FOR GARAGE

Bid Of Local Firm Given Approval By City Commission

The bid of the Upper Peninsula Heat and Power company of Gladstone, operated by the Ohlen brothers, for a heating plant for the municipal garage was accepted at an adjourned meeting of the city commission Thursday.

The Ohlens submitted a bid of \$1,995 for a commercial oil furnace. The price included heating plant and installation but not the fuel tank which is expected to cost approximately \$50.

Two other firms, the Pearson Boiler Works of Escanaba and the DeHooghe Plumbing Shop, submitted bids.

No action was taken on the bids received for a snow loader. Present plans are to obtain a light unit and augment the city equipment by adding a shovel which can be used in digging for sewer and water installations and in a variety of other manners.

Funeral Tuesday For Mrs. Beaudry

Funeral services for Mrs. George Beaudry, 582 Fourth avenue north, city, who died Friday night at St. Francis hospital, are to be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Lutheran church, the Rev. Clifford Peterson officiating. Burial will be made in Fernwood cemetery.

The body will rest in state at the Allo Funeral Home from 4 o'clock Monday afternoon until Tuesday noon when it will be brought to the First Lutheran church.

The deceased was a member of the Auxiliary to August Mattson Post, American Legion. A group of honorary pallbearers from the Auxiliary composed of the Mmes. Alger Strom, George Peoples, William Klein, Louis Hillewaert, Carl Johnson and Victoria Bovin will attend the rites.

The Auxiliary also will be in charge of flowers.

Mrs. Beaudry, nee Ethel Becklund, was born at Manistique on July 22, 1898. She had resided in Gladstone the past 28 years. Surviving are the widower, George, and one sister, Mrs. Agnes Jones of Milwaukee.

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NOTE, MONDAY—Shown at 6:45 & 10:00 p. m.

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SECORE SELLS CABIN RESORT

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Harry Secore, owner of the cabin camp known as "Cabins By The Sea," has sold the property. Adelbert Broome of Detroit is the new owner and the deal was made through Frank Pavlot, representative of the Wallace Realty Company.

There are about five acres in the strip of land involved in the deal. The resort proper has seven cabins and a residence, the latter having recently been enlarged to provide lunch room facilities. The resort is located on Highway 2, facing Lake Michigan. Whether any changes will be made in the report or its operation, Mr. Secore was unable to say.

In announcing the sale of the property Secore states that he still retains ownership of the 12 acres recently offered as a site for the new community hospital and that the offer still stands.

Mr. and Mrs. Secore came to Manistique from Charlotte seven years ago.

Chalk Talk To Be Featured At Club Meeting

A chalk talk, illustrating the theme "Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow," will be presented by James Robertson, an artist of note at Tuesday's meeting of the Manistique Women's Club.

Mr. Robertson is a Sault Ste. Marie businessman, who has long enjoyed a reputation as an artist. He was born in New York, but moved to the Soo when a child and graduated from the high school of that city. He attended Western State College and the University of Michigan. When he won the Seeburger Scholarship and several prizes for his paintings at the Chicago Art Institute, he headed for New York and joined that city's art students' league.

From art in a garret he settled down to a business career. After several years on Wall street, a turn with a steamship company, a department store, a tooth paste manufacturer, an airplane factory and dairy business, he returned to his home town where he operates a laundry business.

While he indulges in photography, fishing, trapshooting and outdoor cooking, his first enthusiasm is his program of cartoon talks which he has given before many audiences.

With a piece of black crayon, an easel and paper, he draws cartoons and talks of highlights and colorful figures of American history.

In addition to this program, H. K. Peterson will sing.

Social

Bridge Club

Mrs. Victor Schuster entertained members of her bridge club on Thursday evening at her home on North Cedar street.

Mrs. James Dupont received high in contract and Mrs. Todd Binder low.

Tasty refreshments were served later.

Dessert Bridge

Mrs. Kenneth Van Eyck entertained a number of guests recently at a dessert bridge party at her home on Lake street.

Three tables of bridge were in progress during the evening, honors going to Mrs. William Corson, high; Mrs. Ira Crawford, second; and Mrs. Edward Jackson, low.

Mrs. R. L. Prine received the traveling prize.

Chicago Cab Driver Shot; Clues Point To Murder Suspect

Chicago, Jan. 31 (AP)—A Chicago cab driver was shot and wounded tonight and police said his assailant left personal belongings in the cab including a copy of a Wisconsin driver's license issued to Elmer Henry Pierce, the name of a man wanted in Milwaukee on a murder charge in a street car slaying.

Captain Andrew Aitken, deputy chief of detectives said a newspaper picture found with the license was identified by a passer-by as that of the man who shot and wounded Edward Swanson, 38, the cab driver.

Swanson, shot in the back of the neck and arm, was taken to the Woodlawn hospital where his condition was said to be not serious. Aitken said that the picture was in a newspaper clipping telling of the shooting of Miss Virginia Szremett, 24, Pierce's niece.

Pierce has been the object of a Milwaukee police search since he allegedly shot and fatally wounded Miss Szremett and wounded three other persons aboard a crowded street car in Milwaukee last Jan. 7.

The picture was identified in the clipping, Aitken said, as the man sought.

To the English motorist tires are "tyres," and if white sidewall, they are "white-sided."



ON WOMEN'S CLUB PROGRAM—James Robertson, Sault Ste. Marie businessman and cartoonist will highlight Tuesday's program of the Manistique Women's Club at the Lakeside School. His subject will be "Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow."

Off The Chest ...

BY JAY ARRELL

Well, another big snowstorm has passed into history. According to newspaper and radio accounts it was one of the worst in many years. Long before there was any indication that something of the sort was brewing, local residents were receiving long distance calls from Chicago, southern Wisconsin and lower Michigan from members of the family who were stranded and had no idea when they would be able to get home.

So when the furies did put in their appearance, we were all set to receive our share of the white deluge. We were rather disappointed, morning to find the sky clear and drifts of very ordinary size covering the landscape.

It seems that whenever the subject of rough winter weather is discussed someone will venture the remark: "You can talk about storms, but I don't think you'll ever find a worse one than that Armistice Day blizzard back in 1940."

And just to refresh our memory, someone brought us the log of the Lansing Shoal Light station for November 10, 11, 12 and 13. We think that you will agree with us that the simple statements recorded by the keeper, are graphic reading. We record them only in part:

Nov. 10—Sunday. Gale at duties. Moderate S to SE wind. Clear. Nov. 11—Armistice Day. Barometer has been going down all day. 4:10 p. m. 28.10. Tightened all portheads and put extra fastening on south door of engine room. 6:00 p. m. both glasses in store room holes broke out. 6:30 p. m. South door tore away, filling engine room with water and put out fire in heating equipment. ... Pulled all switches on electric equipment. Everything out of commission. ... wind 80 miles per hour and cold with some snow.

Nov. 12—Midnight. Blowing just as hard and very steady. 8:00 a. m. What a night we had. This morning everything is washing around in the engine room and every sea washes across it. The south door is over in the north entrance. As near as we dare go is on the landing and it is dreadful to see every sea washing into here and ripping something away and stirring it up with the rest of the wreck. 12 o'clock noon. Not blowing as hard as it was—but plenty hard. The wind seems to have shifted a little. 9:00 p. m. Wind NW and plenty strong and very cold. Have been 27 hours without any fire. 9:30 got the fire going, but got all wet and am very cold—quarters getting warm.

Nov. 13—There is about a foot of water on engine floor and we are working on Kohle No. 2. It is the only one that has a gas tank. 4:00 a. m. Kohler going and tower light going and using standby flasher. 7:00 a. m. Looking over the wreck I find one south door tore off, two port hole glasses in south end of engine room out, two in store room and one in assistant's bedroom gone. Some stores gone which I haven't had time to check over. Gasoline tanks have lots of water in them, same is true of distillate and kerosene tanks. ... Radio transmitter and generator all wet. There is about 4 to 8 inches of ice on all windows and doors. Wind died down in the afternoon. Moderate NW clear.

The tender arrived with help the next day.

LOST

Will the person who found or knows the whereabouts of a 1947 Manistique High school class ring with the initials "P.G.S." inside, please notify the Press Office. The ring, fastened on a silver chain, was left attached to the guard rail in the new gym on Wednesday, Jan. 29.

REWARD

Briefly Told

Meeting—The Manistique Ministerial association will meet Monday at 10 a. m. in the Zion Lutheran church.

Lakeside Lodge—A regular meeting of Lakeside Lodge, No. 371, F. & A. M., will be held on Monday evening in the Masonic hall.

Women's Society—The Women's society of the Church of the Redeemer will entertain the Guild on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the church parlors. Members of both societies are invited to attend.

Ladies' Aid—A regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid society will be held Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. Hostesses are Mrs. Frank Olson, Mrs. Emil Johnson and Mrs. Elsie Holm.

Past Matrons' Club—The Past Matrons of Ida Chapter, No. 54, OES, will meet Monday at the home of Mrs. Nellie Raredon, 421 Oak street. Mrs. Ida Fowler will be the assisting hostess.

Meeting—The Ladies' Aid society of the First Baptist church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church parlors. Hostesses are Mrs. Norman Brown, Mrs. Clarence Thorell and Mrs. Florence Vail.

Presbyterian Guild—Members of the Presbyterian Guild will be guests of the Ladies' Aid on Wednesday evening in the church parlors.

Answers Chicago Inquiring Reporter

Pat Lundstrom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lundstrom, 230 Arbutus avenue, was pictured in the Chicago Tribune the other day.

An inquiring reporter of that publication visited the Patricia Stevens school which Miss Lundstrom attends and she was among the young women there who were asked: "When are you going to get married?"

Miss Lundstrom's reply was: "Frankly I think it's a rather personal question. Close friends wouldn't ask it and answers to other persons are variable such as 'There are more things than marriage; the right man hasn't come along yet, and haven't been asked.' I don't enjoy being asked that question."

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SENIORS WILL PRESENT PLAY

Practice Started For
Play To Be Given
In March

The senior class of Manistique high school will present the play "Every Family Has One," a classic comedy by George Batson, the first week in March according to Mrs. William L. Norton, who is directing the production.

The play is a story of a typical American family in which the eccentricities are only normal but when presented on the stage provide continuous comedy.

The following tentative cast is announced by the director: Penelope Reardon, Florence Hullett.

Laura Reardon, Arlene Curley, Nana Reardon, Jerry Whitcomb, Mrs. Parker, Janet Hughes, Elsie Reardon, Betty Heinz, Reginald Reardon, Pat Shaw, Marcia Reardon, Peggy Bauers, Warry Reardon, Ray Norberg, James Parker, Bill Cook, Sherwin Parker, Bill Eek, Lily Reardon, Jean Hambeau, Todd Galloway, Allan Schuster.

City Briefs

Fred Cayia Jr., who attends the University of Michigan, has arrived for a mid-semester vacation visit at his home here. He was accompanied by his mother, who had been visiting in Ann Arbor.

Dr. E. J. Brenner and Dr. James H. Fyvie left Friday for Ann Arbor and Detroit. In Ann Arbor they will visit with Mrs. Brenner who is a patient at the University hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sellman left Thursday on a trip to Whiteley, Ind.

Ray Norberg, Bill Cook Jr., Bill Prine and Hal Bundy are attending the Chicago Symphony Orchestra concert being held in Ishpeming today.

Mrs. Franklyn T. Burgess is leaving today for Las Vegas, Nev., and points in California where she will visit with relatives and friends.

E. T. King is expected to return to his home here today following a 10-day visit with his father, and other relatives in Kansas City, Mo.

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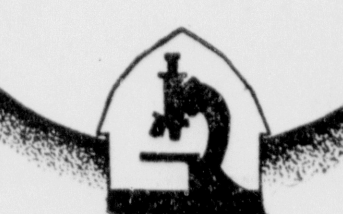
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U. P. Dairymen Will Convene At Marquette

Walter Nelson, secretary-treasurer of the Upper Peninsula Dairy Manufacturers' association, announces that the Thirtieth Annual Convention of that organization will be held Friday and Saturday, February 21 and 22 at Marquette with headquarters at Hotel Northland.

Activities during the first day will be taken up largely with matters of business affecting the various types of business included in the organization membership. One meeting will be devoted to the interest of cheese makers and the other for butter and ice cream manufacturers.

The second day will be interspersed with entertainment features culminating in the annual banquet, which will be held at Hotel Clifton. The banquet speaker will be Dr. H. Ernest Bechtel, director of research department of General Mills. James Beckman, Marquette mayor, will preside as toastmaster at the banquet.

Obituary

LOIS DOUGHERTY

Funeral services for Lois Dougherty will be held Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock instead of Monday morning as previously announced. The services will be held at St. Francis de Sales Catholic church with the Rev. Fr. B. J. P. Schevers officiating. Burial will be in Fairview cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Clifford Johnson, William Hubbell, Clem Arrowood, Donald Klagstad, James Arnold and Donald Carlson.

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C. J. Jansen, Manager

(This ad was written by Jean Smith)

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MANISTIQUE LAUNDRY

Phone 95

Bowling Notes

LaFolle's Men's League
Wednesday — Homers Bar vs. Manistique Tool; Christy's Bar vs. Home Bakery.

Thursday — Laundry vs. Blatz; Norton's vs. Hewitt Grocery.

Friday — Estren's vs. Ekberg's; Fuller Brush vs. M. & M.

Saturday — Barnes Hotel vs. K. of C.

LaFolle's Ladies' League
Monday — Helen Moons vs. Pavlots; Hiawatha Metal vs. Homers Bar.

Tuesday — Paper Mill vs. Heinz IGA; Martin's vs. Nelson Shoes.

Saturday — Eat Shop vs. Northern Woolens.

Brault's Men's League
Wednesday — McNally vs. Manistique Oil; Brault Alleys vs. Michigan Dimension.

Thursday — Martin Insurance vs. Our Own; Toy Makers vs. Alumni.

Friday — Bombers vs. Linderth; Cubs vs. Tommy Toys.

Brault Major League
Tuesday — Manistique Laundry vs. Malloy Signs; Miller Lumber vs. Paper Mill.

Brault Ladies' League
Monday — Linderth vs. Lauer-mans; Stamness vs. Power Company.

Tuesday — Miller Lumber vs. Heltman-Thompson; Schuster vs. Bradley Photos.

Robins Prefer Nelson Home To Sunny South

Two robins, it seems, like accommodations at the Charles Nelson home at 738 Michigan avenue so well that they have decided to spend the winter there and daily may be seen flitting about the place as chipper and saucy as if it were mid June.

The Nelson home in summer, with its profusion of flowers, trees, shrubbery, bird houses and bird bath attracts hundreds of birds of many varieties to the place, but the winter months heretofore has found only sparrows, bluejays and chickadees there when the chill winds blow; but this year this robin couple has been very much disinclined to move. This is probably explained by the fact that there are so many mountain ash and other kinds of berries to be found in the yard, coupled with the fact that Mrs.

Nelson keeps the sheltered feeding box well supplied with meat scraps and bread crumbs. A thick, almost weather tight bower of cedars provides shelter from the chill winds from Lake Michigan. Another summer bird of a type Mrs. Nelson has been unable to classify has made its home in the yard.

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CLOCKS, Toasters, flat irons, vacuum cleaners and washing machines. We repair all appliances. We pick up and deliver. Phone 9161. Gladstone. David LeDuc, 1517 Minnesota Ave., Gladstone. G9823-31-61

Attention Truckers—We have a good stock of truck tires and tubes; also passenger auto tires and tubes. Beaudry Garage, Gladstone. C

PAIR of new snowshoes, slightly damaged. CLAIRBORN TRANSFER CO 1971-31-37

1936 CHEVROLET coach, body in good condition, all new rubber, \$350.00. Can be seen Sunday afternoon. A. MALMSTED, 5 miles West on US-2 and 1/4 mile South. C-33-11

THREE-PIECE mohair living room suite, good condition, \$75.00. 1210 N. 22nd St. 2009-33-11

For Sale

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One 1941 Short Wheelbase Ford; one 22-ft. Fruehoft Trailer; one 1945 Chevrolet with 7-ton Clark rear axle; one 22 Caterpillar with blade. Inquire Rapid River Garage or phone 501, Rapid River. G9824-32-31

1941 Tudor, good tires, 33 thousand miles. Malcolm Stonecliff, Rt. 1, Escanaba, (Danforth). 1977-32-21

1936 CHEVROLET sedan, good condition, all new tires, 1015 First Ave. N. \$450.00. 1978-32-31

12 1/2 CU. FT. quick freeze, 6 months old. Cheap. Inquire Mose Deroun, R. 2, Bark River, Mich. 1976-32-31

AIR COMPRESSOR with motor, hose and spray gun, 50 lb. pressure. \$65.00. 318 S. 7th St. 1982-32-31

CHROME KITCHEN set, baked enamel top, black and white. 630 1/2 Sheridan Road. 1964-32-31

NOW AVAILABLE—Sewing machine cabinets with complete electrical equipment. Have your present Singer treadle machine converted into a modern electric. 1411 S. 2nd Ave. Phone 1400-J. C-32-61

1937 CHEVROLET, new motor, car in good condition. Inquire Leonard LaChance, 2 1/2 miles northeast of Perkins, Mich. G9825-32-31

WOOD—Hardwood and softwood slabs mixed. \$12.00. Softwood, \$10.00. Phone 506. 1809-24-61

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HEATROLA in perfect condition. Inquire 320 Wisconsin avenue, Gladstone. G9822-2-11

DISMANTLED SAWMILL, w/o blade. 24 inch pony planer, 18 inch round head jointer, also two 36 inch head blocks and small mill parts. John E. Ducey, care of Stephenson Hotel, Stephenson, Mich. 1905-33-21

1935 FORD Tudor, good condition, radio and heater, good tires. Inquire Enie Rochefort, Fayette. C-33-31

1940 FORD long wheelbase truck with platform, just overhauled, good tires. Carl Mosier, Rapid River. G9828-33-31

For Sale

1938 Pontiac, with 1946 motor, new tires. 1937 Studebaker, motor completely overhauled, radio, front and rear heater system, newly painted. 1934 DeSoto, air flow; bargain. 1936 Nash Ambassador, six good tires. clean.

We finance our own cars at low terms. All cars sold with 30-day warranty guarantee, or 1,000 miles.

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1942 Chevrolet 1 1/2 ton L. W. B. with jammer, tires like new, 2-speed axle. 1940 Ford dump truck, S.W.B. new motor, excellent condition, two-speed axle, good rubber.

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ONE COMPLETE set of 16 glass battery jars, 32 volt Delco light plant, at a reasonable price, included is a Delco iron and radio. Ed J. Veecer, Powers, Mich. 2003-33-31

Kelvinator Stoker, hot water furnace, with spring and mattress, 13-burner, excellent condition. Large coal water heater \$15. Gas water heater \$10. Selling because of conversion to city steam heat. 908 First Avenue South. 2010-33-31

FIVE-BURNER gasoline range with oven, in good condition. Henry Rivers, 1407 N. 20th St. 2007-33-61

OIL BURNER, heats 4 to 6 rooms, like new. Call 344. 2008-33-21

1931 PONTIAC 6 two-door sedan, new battery, 2 new tires. Call 1063. 2006-33-11

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USED FURNITURE: 2 BEDS complete with spring and mattress, 13-burner gas stove; 1 kitchenette set; 1 dining room set; davenport; dresser; floor lamp; heatrola; also kitchen chairs. TRADING POST, 225 S. 10th Street. Phone 984. C-32-11

Just received shipment of Cummins 1/2 inch electric drills, \$17.50; Black & Decker 1/2 inch, \$31.95; Also Atlas bench type drill with 1/2 H. P. motor. Beaudry Firestone Store, Gladstone. C

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THOR LIEUNG MUSIC STORE
1009 Ludington Escanaba C-222

IN TRANSIT SEIGLER'S OIL HEATERS, heavy duty, 5-6 room size, with or without blower. Place your order now. PELTIN'S FURNITURE STORE, 1307 Ludington St. C-28-11

AT THE TRADING POST—Barbed wire; bailing wire; hand saws; extension ladders; 2 H. P. motors; wheelbarrows; cement mixers. TRADING POST, 225 S. 10th St. C-33-11

VENETIAN BLINDS, aluminum or steel slats. Counterpane Paint Store, 721 Delta, Phone 5083, Gladstone. C

FOR SALE
REBUILT GASOLINE MODEL MAYTAG USED ESTATE HEATROLA MAYTAG SALES JOHN LASKOSKI, Prop. 1019 Ludington St. Phone 22 C-31-31

USED, 8 FOOT TOBACCO, 3 PIECE SECTIONAL BOOKCASE, ROUND OAK HEATER. We buy used furniture. PELTIN'S FURNITURE STORE, 1307 Ludington St. Phone 1033. C-28-11

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SILVER SEAL Heat Reflecting Ironing Pad, complete with cover, \$3.50. THE SIEBERT HARDWARE, Gladstone. C-Sun-Tues

SOFTBALL TEAMS—Order your uniforms now! See our samples. Limited stocks this year so act early. Sports Department, DELTA HARDWARE CO. C-35-31

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1 large over-stuffed chair; 1 solid walnut chest of drawers; 1 modern 6-piece dining room set with buffet; 1 kitchen cabinet; 1 laundry stove; 1 modern coal and wood range; beds, radios, and pianos of all kinds. Phone 176. 713 Ludington St. C-32-21

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Lost
WILL the person who took purse from car parked in front of Ocean Island please return to Press Office? No questions asked. 1906-32-21

LOST FRIDAY—Ladies' Grant wrist-watch, between Wanda's and Tim & Sally's. Return to 219 N. 12th St. Reward. 1907-33-31

LOST—Club membership ledger. Return to Mrs. A. A. Nelson, Phone 387-R. Reward. 2009-33-31

Building Supplies

JUST RECEIVED
Carload
PLASTER and FINISH LIME

Buy now while stocks are available

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Phone 384
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ADD EXTRA DOLLARS to your income—show easy-to-sell 1947 Greeting Card assortments to friends, neighbors, others. Everyday. Birthday, Get-Well, Humorous, Greetings. Notes. Big earnings without experience. Comm. Write for samples on approval. PEELES GREETINGS, Box 825, Highland Park, Illinois. 2001-33-11

WAITRESS WANTED Apply Welcoming Hotel. C-33-31

Work Wanted

STATISTICAL CLERK—Girl with supervisory experience, desires work. Good references. Write Box 1989, care of Daily Press. 1989-32-31

VETERAN, young experienced, wants steady employment as guard or watchman. License to carry weapon. Phone 4801 Gladstone or write RMS, 317 8th St., Gladstone. G9827-33-31

EXPERIENCED Bulldozer operator, hydraulic or cable. Veteran. Will work anywhere. Phone 2358-M. Gladstone. 2005-33-21

For Rent

ELECTRIC sanding machine for rent. BADGER PAINT STORE. C-342-11

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FOR RENT—One large front room for sleeping purposes. Call 3654 Gladstone. G9826-33-31

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HARDWOOD BOX BOLTS
All Sizes: 6 in. and larger at small end 8" 4" in length. Marinette and Menominee Box Co. Marinette, Wis. C-269-11

WANTED TO BUY—Typewriters and Adding Machines. Phone 1055. 611 Lud St. J. R. Peterson. C-342-11

CAST IRON—Highest prices paid. GLADSTONE FOUNDRY, US-2, Gladstone. 1985-32-61

WANTED TO BUY—Eight-inch bench saw, with tilt table. L. J. Brammer, Nahma, Mich. 1987-32-31

Male Or Female

WANTED—Night cook. Apply in person. EAT SHOP, 916 Ludington St. C-31-31

Wanted To Rent

4 OR 5-ROOM furnished apartment. Phone 26. 2000-33-31

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We have buyers for all types of businesses and homes. If you want buy or sell contact Mr. Farrow. State Wide Real Estate Service. Bark River, Mich. Pk. Bark River 291. WE COVER THE STATE. C-365-11

FOR SALE—Two-family house at 1523 Wisconsin Ave., Gladstone. Price \$4200. G9820-29-61

Farmers—FOR AUCTIONEERING that gets results, contact Col. John E. Swayne. Ph. 7170, Rt. 1, Menominee. 1957-36-Apr. 1

FOR SALE—NEW HOUSE insulated, 2 bedrooms and bath completed. 2nd floor unfinished; full basement; commodious installed; stoves included. on N. 1st Escanaba, \$4,650.00. Inquire Adolph Miller, Park Minnesota avenue, Gladstone. G9813-Jan. 25-26-Feb. 1-2

FOR SALE—New 4-room house, 5 1/2 acres of land, small barn, good garden land. Will sell for small down payment, balance like rent. Reasonable for quick sale. A. MALMSTED, 5 miles West on US-2 and 1/4 mile south. Can be seen today, 11 a. m. to 5 p. m. 1902-33-11

FOR SALE—Centrally located 2-flat modern house, newly decorated. Inquire 905 S. 6th Ave. Phone 645-W. 1200-32-31

Live Stock

FOR SALE—Corn fed pigs, from 125 to 175 lbs. Thirty to pick from. Malcolm Stonecliff, RFD #1, Escanaba, Mich. (Danforth). 1977-32-21

FOR SALE—One bull, Paul Porath, Ford River. 1908-33-31

Personal

VALENTINE SURPRISE—Send your photograph. No other Valentine gift will be so appreciated. Selkirk Studio, 801 1st Ave. S.

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RAY DERHAM, Iron Mountain, Michigan, Candidate for Circuit Judge, Overseas Veteran TWO World Wars. Platform: Fair and impartial treatment to all. C-32-15

Legals

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The City of Escanaba proposes to engage the services of a harbormaster who will be granted the privilege of operating concession stands at Ludington Park and holding beach.

The person who desires to seek this position must submit an application for the position and a sealed bid as the amount he will pay towards operating the concession stands.

Anyone interested should contact the City Manager for information pertaining to this matter. Bids to be submitted to the undersigned up to 5 o'clock p. m. February 3, 1947. The City Manager reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

CARL E. ANDERSON, City Clerk.

1966-Jan. 30-31-Feb. 1-2

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation and thanks to all the kind relatives, neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during our recent bereavement, the death of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Joseph Gattie. We are very grateful to Rev. James Ward for his comforting words and other manifestations of sympathy, to those who served as pallbearers, sent flowers, donated the use of their cars and to all others who aided us in so many ways. The memory of these acts of kindness will always remain with us.

Signed:
JOSEPH GATTIE AND FAMILY.
1906-33-11

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all those who helped lessen our sorrow during the loss of our beloved wife, mother, daughter and sister, Marie Francis Brown, to the kind neighbors and friends who sent spritful bouquets, flowers, honorary pallbearers, pallbearers, those who donated the use of their cars and all others who aided us in so many ways. The memory will always remain with us.

WM. BROWN AND FAMILY.
MRS. MARY ASP AND FAMILY.
HENRY BROWN AND FAMILY.

POLISH RECONSTRUCTION
Warsaw (P)—The ministry of reconstruction announced Poland's war damage was estimated at 13,500,000,000 pre-war zlotys. That exceeded almost five times the nation's 1938 investments and almost 14 times the building investments of that period.

Simp is the name of a baby crop.

Manistique Classified

For Sale

FUEL OIL
Let us supply you regularly with genuine Shell Fuel Oil. Our delivery service is prompt and reliable. Manistique Oil Company. Shell Products. Phone 26. C-327-11

FOR SALE—John Deere tractor, model B, on rubber; new cultivator; John Deere manure spreader, new; hay loader, 8 ft. binder; tractor discs; riding cultivator; set heavy sleigh; cream separator, new; 8 fall pigs. Leonard Gayer, 4 miles southeast of Germantown, Mich. 13759-33-61

FOR SALE—Man's fur coat, size 36. Just the thing for farmer or one who is driving a great deal. Also Chinchilla overcoat, size 42. Both in good condition. Priced reasonably. 419 Delta avenue. Phone 473-1.

STREETS OF GOLD
Missoula, Mont. (AP)—Charles Mothka noticed a dull gleam in sand a street crew had sprinkled on "lippy" pavement so he took a fragment to chemists who confirmed that it was a little gold nugget, worth about \$3. Ever since the sand at the city's waterworks hill has been receiving careful attention from the gravel pit workers.

Our Boarding House With Major Hoople



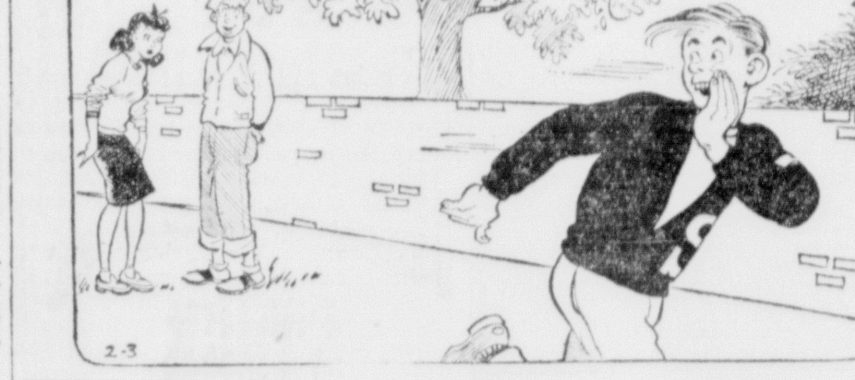
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By Martin

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By Al Capp

By Merrill Blosser



By Martin



Escanaba Hawks Meet Hancock Rangers In Hockey Feature Today

SPEEDY GAME ASSURED HERE

New Attendance Record May Be Set, Says Manager

Top flight hockey comes to Escanaba today when the Escanaba Hawks put their undefeated record on the line against the Hancock Rangers, a classy team from the Copper Country, hockey center of the Upper Peninsula. A new attendance record is in prospect.

The ice conditions at the indoor rink, where the game will be played this afternoon at two o'clock, are excellent. Manager Grabowski reported, and a fast game is guaranteed. Plenty of excitement for the hockey fans who like their sport rough also is in prospect.

The Hawks are ready to go at top speed against the Rangers. Grabowski said, eager to score an upset victory over the favored Hancock lineup.

The starting lineup for Escanaba will be Jerry Jerow, goalie; G. Petaja and J. Weber, wings; P. Goymerac, center; J. Gorench and C. Eastman, defense. Art Gardner will referee.

During the past week the Hawks acquired a new defenseman, Clinton Marengor, of Flat Rock, a big solid fellow who will make his hockey debut this afternoon against Hancock.

All members of the Hawks are asked to report promptly at one o'clock at the indoor rink.

Next Sunday the Hawks travel to Stambaugh to play a return engagement with the Stambaugh Big Jos.

Silver Foxes Beat Cooks Bombers By Score Of 61 to 47

The Hermansville Silver Foxes basketball team trounced the Cooks Bombers, 61 to 47, at Cooks Friday night in a fast game. Steve Machalk of the Foxes took individual scoring honors with 22 points but Olsen of Cooks also was red hot, scoring 20 points for his team.

The Cooks Bombers will entertain Stephenson today at Cooks, while the Silver Foxes play the Marquette K-C's at Hermansville. Tuesday night the Foxes meet the Crystal Falls Ramblers at Hermansville.

The box score of the Hermansville-Cooks game:

Hermansville	FG	F	FM	PF
Marana	4	2	0	1
Pochesato	2	0	1	0
S. Machalk	9	4	3	3
S. Machalk	6	1	0	1
Mauli	3	0	3	1
M. Machalk	1	1	0	1
Earle	1	1	1	2
Totals	26	9	8	9

Cooks	FG	F	FM	PF
S. Middaugh	2	0	0	5
D. Middaugh	2	3	2	4
E. Popour	1	2	0	0
Swigart	0	0	0	2
Williams	2	0	0	0
Hartman	4	0	0	2
Olsen	8	4	1	1
Winkel	0	0	0	0
Bernhardt	0	0	0	0
Totals	19	9	3	14

Score by quarters:

Hermansville	12	17	15	17—61
Cooks	7	14	16	10—47

Referee: S. Warner.

Dartball

WINNING STREAK

Bethany Lutheran put an end to St. Stephens' five game winning streak in dartball play last Tuesday by defeating the leaders with scores of 6 to 5 and 5 to 4.

First Methodist took the measure of Central Methodist by scores of 6 to 4 and 5 to 1. Hitting home runs: O. Larson and D. Walker of First Methodist.

STANDINGS

	W.	L.
St. Stephens	5	1
Bethany Lutheran	3	3
First Methodist	2	4
Central Methodist	2	4

Leading Hitters

AB	Hits	Pct.
E. Nyberg (Cent. Meth.)	63	32 .508
J. Rouse (St. Stephens)	63	32 .508
W. Kammler (St. Stephens)	78	31 .397
J. Bawden (St. Stephens)	66	26 .394
G. Nelson (Bethany Luth.)	81	30 .370

This Week's Schedule:

Bethany Lutheran at First Methodist.

St. Stephens at Central Methodist.

Ice Revue Practice Schedules Arranged

Skaters picked for the gypsy number of the Escanaba ice follies will rehearse at the indoor rink from 7 to 10 p. m. tonight. The winter number will practice Monday night from 7 to 10. All girls not yet selected for special numbers are asked to report at No. 2 fire hall Monday after school.

Pages and guards of the winter number not yet fitted with costumes will also report at the fire hall Monday after school.

The United States consumes about 30,000,000,000 board feet of lumber every year.



THEY "PLAY" WITH STICKS — Fancy stickwork comes into play as Rangers' Bill Moe, right, is fouled by Chicago Black Hawks' Johnny Mariucci at Madison Square Garden. While referee tries to halt play, Hawk George Gee, left, crowds Ab DeMarco, Ranger center. Safe behind glass partition, spectators point accusing fingers (NEA Photo.)

The Sports Parade

By Ken Gunderman

The Eskimos' eighth successive defeat, sustained Friday night at the hands of the Soo Blue Devils, followed a familiar pattern. The Escanaba lads were in the thick of the ball game until the final four minutes of play and then were swept off the court when they were forced to resort to a man for man defense. They were pressing too hard and committed a series of fouls which didn't help their cause any. The little fellows just are not adapted to the man-for-man style of play against opponents with more height and longer reach. It was forced upon them in the Soo game—as in several other games which were lost in the final period—because they were trailing in the scoring column.

The Eskimos have five games remaining on their schedule before the district tournament at Manistique. They meet Iron Mountain next Friday, travel to Menominee and Manistique the next two weeks, and then close.

Underdog Wildcats Lose Overtime Tilt To Minnesota, 63-61

Minneapolis, Feb. 1. (AP)—Minnesota was forced into an overtime period tonight to defeat Northwestern's underdog basketball team, 63 to 61, in a big nine game.

The score was tied 12 times in a scorching contest in which both the Wildcats and Gophers were shooting in their best form of the season.

The Wildcats hit 36.5 per cent of their attempted field goals.

After Minnesota had built up a 32-25 halftime lead on 15 points by lanky center Jim McIntyre, Benny Schadler and Chuck Tournek, starting Northwestern guards, went on a second half scoring spree that found the Wildcats taking the lead at 35-33 and then tying the count at 55-55 as the regular session ended.

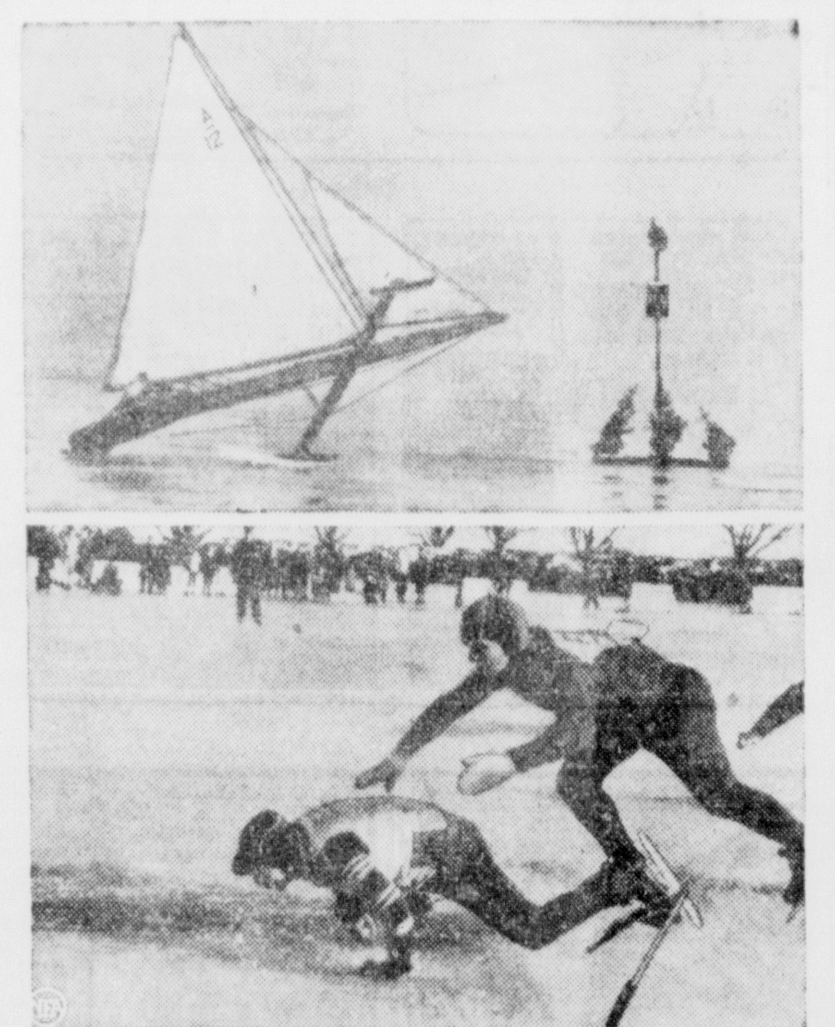
McIntyre clinched the victory for the Gophers in the overtime period by three field goals.

their pre-tournament schedule in home games with Kingsford and Gladstone. The Escanaba team may snag a couple victories in that group. Despite their eight successive defeats, the Eskimos have shown that they can be dangerous to any of the clubs on their schedule. And its still too early to count them out of contention at the district tournament.

Today is a big day for the Escanaba Hawks. For one thing they'll probably have the largest home town crowd in local hockey history when they meet the Hancock Rangers at the indoor ice rink. Interest in the game has leaped to record proportions. The Hawks are determined to carve a niche for themselves in Upper Peninsula hockey and they feel that a victory over the Hancock team would be a long step in that direction. Win or lose, the Hawks will give the fans a good show. Their competitive spirit is burning.

And for those sports fans who thrill to the grace and daring of the boys who sail through space on the waxed slats, there is the ski jumping tournament at Manistique today. It is Manistique's introduction to big time ski riding and every detail has been arranged to make it a grand success. The Manistique scaffold may not have the record potentiality of the big hills at Ishpeming and Iron Mountain, but the competitive aspects are there. With a break in the weather, the tournament may draw several thousand ski fans.

The reserve team tournament at Stephenson is shaping up nicely. Coach Leo Brunelle of Stephenson reports, and there will be a full bracket of eight teams in the B-C division and a perfect plat of entries in the D-E division. This is the fourth successive reserve team tournament at Stephenson and it has become a popular fixture with the sports fans in that area. The tournament has already been sanctioned by the Michigan high school athletic association.



EASY DOES IT—Winter sports are in full swing. A class A contestant balances in mid-air just before turning turtle while rounding a pylon at the Northwestern Ice Yacht Regatta in Oshkosh, Wis., above, Mario Trafelli, below, has better luck at Detroit's North American Outdoor Championships though taking a header on a fast turn. He got up to win senior men's mile speed-skating event. (NEA Photo.)

NEW BASEBALL PENSION FIXED

Major Leaguers To Draw \$50 To \$100 Monthly On Retirement

By Jack Hand

New York, Feb. 1. (AP)—Baseball adopted a far-reaching pension plan today in unprecedented joint major league action by which players, coaches and trainers will receive from \$50 to \$100 monthly for life after the age of 50 if they have spent at least five years in the big leagues.

Fulfillment of this retirement scheme, an outgrowth of last year's player committee meetings, depends on participation by at least 75 per cent of all major league athletes. At least 60 per cent of any club's eligible players must belong if any are to participate in the plan.

All players on the roster of major league clubs on opening day 1947 will be eligible for membership by a series of annual payments ranging from \$45.45 in the first year to \$454.75 in the tenth year. After the player has paid in \$2,500 his yearly premium would be \$250.

Each major league club would pay \$250 for each participating player and the remaining costs would be provided by the net receipts of the annual All-Star game and the sale of radio rights to the World Series. If there should be a deficit, the 16 clubs would make up the difference. At the present time the commissioner's office is holding in escrow \$352,000 for the start of the fund.

Under a graduated scale, a retired player who had five years service would receive \$50 monthly for life after the age of 50. For each additional year, the pension would be increased \$100 monthly until it reached a \$100 maximum.

Details of the plan, called the "most complicated pension system ever adopted," call for similar payments to beneficiaries over a 120-month period if the player should die before collecting.

Time spent by the athletes in the armed service also shall be counted in figuring their years of big league play, provided three of his five years qualifying service covered actual play on a major league team.

Although the pension plan was the outstanding development of the joint session, the big leaguers did guarantee a \$250,000 player pool for all subsequent World Series.

If the receipts do not reach the required sum, the two leagues will make up the difference, thus assuring each winning team of a \$150,000 "kitty" and each losing team of at least \$100,000. These club shares may be divided among eligibles in compliance with existing rules. However, under ordinary procedure, it practically sets up a \$5,000 winners minimum.

The ban against team bonus payments to big league players was re-affirmed, calling for a fine by the commissioner of an amount equal to but not exceeding the total bonus paid. If more than 50 per cent of the players of a series team are paid a bonus, it shall be called a "team bonus" and subject to fine.

H'ville Croats Lick Powers, 68-29

Hermansville—Paced by Lefty Steve Machalk who pumped in 30 points, the Croation All-Stars swamped the Powers-Spalding Twins 68-29 here Wednesday night.

Hachalk pumped in 13 field goals and 4 freethrows. The Croats led 36-11 at the half time mark.

The personnel of the Croats is made up of Tony, Mike and Steve Machalk, Frank Miketinac, John Tuscan, and Frank Rodman. This aggregation will enter the National Croation Tournament in Gary, Indiana in March.

BIG HANK MAY DRAW \$80,000

Greenberg Has His First Talk With Manager Of Pirates

By Joe Reichler

New York, Feb. 1. (AP)—Hank Greenberg's salary for 1947 may be as high as \$80,000, or as much as \$90,000, Cleveland's ace hurler stands to get, it was learned today following a two-hour conference between the newly acquired Pittsburgh slugger and Roy Hamey, general manager of the Pirates.

Declaring that no contract was discussed in his talk with Hamey, Greenberg said he was awaiting the arrival of President Frank McKinney from Miami Beach, Fla., before opening negotiations with the Pirates in Pittsburgh early next week.

Although Hamey insisted no contract had been offered the major league's home run king, he said in an interview after the confab that the Pirates were willing to go as high as \$60,000 as a basic salary and probably would tack some bonus clauses on to the document. These would be based on attendance figures which would give Hank a chance to earn more money.

"We're certainly not going to offer him less than he earned in Detroit last year," said Hamey. "I am against the bonus clause of \$20,000 Hank got from the Tigers last year, but naturally we're going to try to satisfy him."

Greenberg received \$75,000 for leading the American league last year with 44 home runs and 127 runs batted in. He earned \$55,000 as a base salary and received an additional \$20,000 bonus check, conforming to a stipulation in his contract calling for a payment of that sum if Hank voluntarily retired, was released or was assigned elsewhere.

Sluggish Confident

Hamey did not stipulate just how much the bonus would amount to, or how large the attendance at Forbes Field would have to be. But it was believed that Hank could reach the \$80,000 stipend this season if the Pirates' attendance soars past the 1,000,000 mark at home. The Bucs drew over 700,000 with a seventh place ball club last year.

Greenberg said he was confident he would have no trouble coming to a quick agreement and confided he felt in "the best shape in years." He said it would be okay with him no matter what position would be assigned to him. "I'll play the outfield, first base or even become the water boy if Manager Billy Herman wants me to," said Hank. "Anyway I'd be the highest paid water boy," he quipped.

Still resentful over what he considered poor treatment by President Walter O. Briggs of Detroit, Greenberg said he desired to clear up the matter of the missing letter. The ex-Tiger, in a recent radio broadcast stated he had written a letter to Briggs on Dec. 16 asking consideration for the job of general manager. Briggs, however, said he never received the letter.

"Mr. Briggs said he did not receive a letter from me dated Dec. 16, but he didn't mention that I had sent him one dated Dec. 5, which he should have received Dec. 6 or 7."

"Obviously I erred in the date, but this much is positive. I sent a letter to Briggs on the day the Detroit club announced that George Trautman had resigned as general manager, and asked to be considered for the job."

The six-foot, four-inch right-handed slugger said he did not think the distant left field at Forbes Field—it measures 365 feet from home plate—would handicap him much, but Hamey hinted the club might move in the left field wall to shorten the distance by some 20 feet.

RETIREMENT PREDICTED

Flint, Mich., Feb. 1. (AP)—Sports Editor M. B. Cossman of the Flint Journal declared in a page 1 article today that within 48 hours Hank Greenberg will inform the Pittsburgh Pirates that he is retiring from baseball as an active player.

Cossman, who did not disclose the source of his information, said

Bruce Drake Warring On Basketball's Tall Guy

BY HARRY GRAYSON

New York (NEA)—Bruce Drake reads about seven-foot seven-inch Max Palmer of Vance, Miss., High, and shouts: "See what I mean?"

The altitudinal young Palmer makes Oklahoma's personable coach something of a prophet.

Drake, a member of the National Collegiate Basketball Coach Association rules committee and leader of the fight to minimize the effectiveness of the goon under the bucket, created a fictional young giant eight feet tall whom he called

Gangleshank, coached him two hours and stuck him smack dab in a real game.

Gangleshank stood by the side of the goal, fielded high passes, shot the opposing team out of the gymnasium.

"Give me a boy seven-and-a-half or eight feet tall and I'd have to work with him only two hours before he'd be ready," wrote Drake.

It was pointed out that it took such a renowned coach as Henry Iba of Oklahoma A. and M. four years to make a finished college performer of seven-foot Foothills Kurland. So there is hope for Palmer, who is only a ninth grader.

"We formed a four-man zone defense before their goal," said Drake, in his Orsen Welles preview of where he believes basketball is going under the present rules. "Gangleshank hadn't gone down on defense, hadn't moved out of his tracks beneath our goal."

Neither does the real flesh-and-blood Mississippi mountain. "We just let Max stand there and wait for passes," explains his coach. "He never has to go down the floor. We use only four men on defense."

Of Gangleshank's "accuracy," Drake wrote: "Our feeding passes, miles above the heads of the opposition, were snarled by Gangleshank, who with right hand held high, moved the ball directly over the goal and released it neatly, like a barkeep placing an olive in a martini glass."

Palmer stands on tip-toe under the bucket and "dunks basketballs through the hoop like a kid feeding pennies to a piggy bank."

Drake had Gangleshank winning the game almost single-handedly, 74-48. Palmer averages 40 points a game. "He could score 100 if we wanted to leave him in there," says his coach.

"We haven't seen a truly tall player yet," said Drake. "Wait until coaches start pulling them out of carnivals, off the backwoods farms..."

Drake, chairman of the basketball national research committee, wants the three-second zone enlarged into a semi-circle, thus enlarging the restricted area into which over-elongated lads must maneuver into and get out of in three seconds.

Nat Holman of City College of New York and others would simply widen the straight free throw

lane by six feet, don't particularly care about the shape of the zone as long as beanpoles are not permitted to make a travesty out of a fine game at the expense of thousands of average-sized athletes who outnumber them 1000 to 1.

On the other hand, Jack Gray of Texas proposes the elimination of the three-second rule.

The handsome young strategist of the cow country stands all alone on this point.

That would bring back the center pivot play and all the rough stuff and monotony that went with it.

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ESCANABA MEET IS CANCELLED

Warm Weather Makes Ice At Park Unfit For Championships

After consulting with George Grenholm, city recreation director, and other members of the Winter Sports committee, Art Goulais, chairman of the Escanaba Winter Sports club, announced last night the cancellation of the Bay de Noc Open Speed Skating meet scheduled for this coming Saturday and Sunday.

"This warm weather has put our rink back where it was in December," Goulais said. "We are forced to admit that it is now just impossible to get it in shape for a championship meet."

It was warm weather that raised such havoc with the North American Open in Detroit, and with the Michigan State Open, which made the cancellation of the Bay de Noc Open necessary, despite the strenuous and heroic efforts by the city's recreational department to keep the rink in shape.

"It's a tough break," Gene Herbert, coach and sparkplug of the Bay de Noc club, said yesterday. "That last rain rotted the ice of the rink clear down to the sand." Due consideration was given to shifting the meet to another rink, but championship races demand a minimum of eight laps to the mile, and the idea had to be abandoned.

"This is something of a blow to our plans for a gala carnival week," Goulais said. "But we'll just lay into the rest of the program that much harder."

It is expected that the Bay de Noc club will hold a local meet next Sunday, a week from today, on the 19th street rink as an opener for the winter sports week and for the benefit of Escanaba spectators.

Minneapolis Skate Stars Cop Most Of Races In St. Paul

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 1. (AP)—The Minneapolis contingent virtually took over today's events in the National Outdoor Speed Skating championships with but a sprinkling of skaters from other cities winning places in the 16 events in which finals were run off.

Ken Bartholomew of Minneapolis challenged his fellow townsman, Bob Fitzgerald, the senior men's defending champion, by compiling 70 points to the latter's 60. Fitzgerald won both the 440 and three-quarter mile events, with Bartholomew placing second, but Bartholomew took first in the two-mile event to make his point total greater.

Another Minnesotan, Gerry Scott, last year's intermediate girl's champion, indicated she merits serious consideration for the senior women's crown by scoring 60 points with first in the 440 and three-mile events. Marion Hanley of Ferndale, N. Y., placed second in those events for 40 points.

Finals in another 22 events will complete the event Sunday.

The Foxes will entertain the Crystal Falls Ramblers at the club court on Tuesday evening.

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PLAY SAFE!

Manistique Ski Club Conducts Jumping Tournament Today

STRONG RIDERS ARE ENTERED

Keen Competition Promised In B and C Divisions

Manistique—Old King Winter has been kind to provide the setting with a fresh white blanket of fluffy new snow. The stage has been faultlessly set by the Manistique Ski Club. The characters are 35 young athletes who will match power, skill, daring and grace on carefully constructed and well shod hickory skis.

The scene is the gala winter sports event scheduled to take place this afternoon at the James town scaffold just northeast of the city on old highway US-2. The Ski Club has carefully planned each detail and has worked extremely hard to make this afternoon's program a complete success. The snow conditions are ideal and the unofficial hill record of 96 feet should be easily shattered by the large field of talented jumpers who will perform in their respective classes. The big affair should prove thrilling to the spectator and a very colorful show.

LATE ENTRY
Late entries include Dave Freeman, riding for the Iron Mountain Kiwanis Ski Club, who is rated as one of the most versatile Class C jumpers in this country. Last Sunday Freeman carried away first honors in his class at Dubuque, Iowa. So watch this lad today.

Another outstanding performer will be Allan Hamari, also of Iron Mountain Kiwanis Ski club, who placed third in the B division in an international star studded field before the Chicago Norge Ski Club classic several weeks ago. Two power jumpers who will ride for the Ironwood Gogebic Range Ski Club are Robert Minkin and Gene Dahlin. Class B: John Grodesky, unattached from Escanaba, and Clifford Perrault of the Ishpeming Ski Club will be strong contenders in the B division. Little is known of the three latest entries from the Wildcat Ski Club of Northern State, however they may produce a winner.

Fans should not overlook the fact that the Manistique Ski Club has a group of promising young riders who made an excellent showing at the Ottawa meet last Sunday and should be right up there with the best of them today. Manistique is extremely fortunate and honored to have as its guests riders of this caliber to compete in its first sanctioned U. S. Central Ski Association tournament.

A public address system has been installed for the benefit of the spectators and the Manistique Girl Scouts will serve hot lunch during the afternoon. A large supervised parking area will be available.

Program of Events
Headquarters, Ossr hotel.
9:30 to 12:00—Registration.
12:30 p. m.—Luncheon.
2:30 p. m.—Trial rides; national anthem; flag raising; parade of skiers; trail breaker; tournament officially open, Senior Class, Class B, Class C.
6:00 p. m.—Banquet at hotel. Award of prizes.

Michigan Trackmen Take Six Firsts In Ann Arbor Relays

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 1 (AP)—The University of Michigan track team, showing its main strength in the field events, distances and relays, captured six firsts tonight in the 19th running of the Michigan AAU relays before 2,000 spectators at Yost Field House.

Unofficial second place went to Michigan State with four firsts, three of them captured by the sensational Robert Johnson who smashed a Field House and State AAU record in the broad jump with a leap of 24 feet 3 1/2 inches.

The only other AAU and Field House record to tumble was in the shot put which Michigan sophomore Charles Fonville captured easily with a heave of 52 feet 3 3/4 inches. This surpassed Bill Watson's Field House mark of 51 feet 5 1/2 inches established in 1939.

Besides his outstanding performance in the broad jump, Johnson was out in front in 60-yard dash and the 65-yard low hurdles. Michigan State's other first came in the 65-yard high hurdles, with Harold Mayhew carrying the green and white.

Emeralds To Play 3-Game Schedule During This Week

Manistique.—The Manistique high school basketball team launches into an unusually busy week with three games scheduled. The first one will be played on Tuesday evening on the local floor with Munising the opponent. Friday the Emeralds go to Sault Ste. Marie for a return engagement with the team that place and the following night they cross the river for a game with the Canadian Soo high school team. The Canadian game is a return courtesy game, the Canadians having played a game in Manistique last year.

Manistique Ski Entrants

Senior Class
George Wickman, Iron Mountain Kiwanis Ski Club.

Class B
Gene Dahlin, Ironwood Gogebic Range Ski Club; Lawrence Rubick, Manistique Ski Club; Jim Holtz, Iron Mountain Kiwanis Ski Club; Henry Isobelle, Robert Anderson, Ishpeming Ski Club; John Grodesky, Escanaba, unattached; Cliff Perrault, Ishpeming Ski Club; Ted Hentschell, Manistique Ski Club; Allan Hamari, Iron Mountain Kiwanis Ski Club; Owen Woodward, Ishpeming Ski Club; Cliff Moen, Iron Mountain Kiwanis Ski Club; Bob Ellis, Ishpeming Ski Club; Robert Minkin, Ironwood Gogebic Range Ski Club; LeRoy St. Onge, Ishpeming Ski Club; Leo Clash, Jack Poquette, Iron Mountain Kiwanis Ski Club; Don Holbrook, Frank Peterson, Wildcat Ski Club, Northern State.

Class C
Ward Olson, Ishpeming Ski Club; Paul Fawcett, Iron Mountain Ski Club; Bob Rozich, Manistique Ski Club; Roy Hamari, Iron Mountain Kiwanis Ski Club; Tony Weber, Manistique Ski Club; Frank Senger, Iron Mountain Kiwanis Ski Club; Paul Vezina, Manistique Ski Club; Julius Johnson, Ishpeming Ski Club; Jim Fagan, Manistique Ski Club; Chester Kusz, Ironwood Gogebic Range Ski Club; John Quick, Manistique Ski Club; Dave Freeman, Iron Mountain Kiwanis Ski Club; Dick Harbrick, Manistique Ski Club; George Genzgel, Wildcat Ski Club, Northern State.

Officials — Judges: Leonard Flaa, Ishpeming; Walter Wick, Ironwood. Chief scorer: John Osterman, Ironwood.
Time: 2:30 p. m.
Place: Manistique (Jamestown scaffold).

Wayne U. Trimmed By Spartans, 49-36

East Lansing, Mich., Feb. 1 (AP)—Michigan State College's basketball team trimmed Wayne University in a slow-moving contest before 3,367 fans here tonight, 49-36.

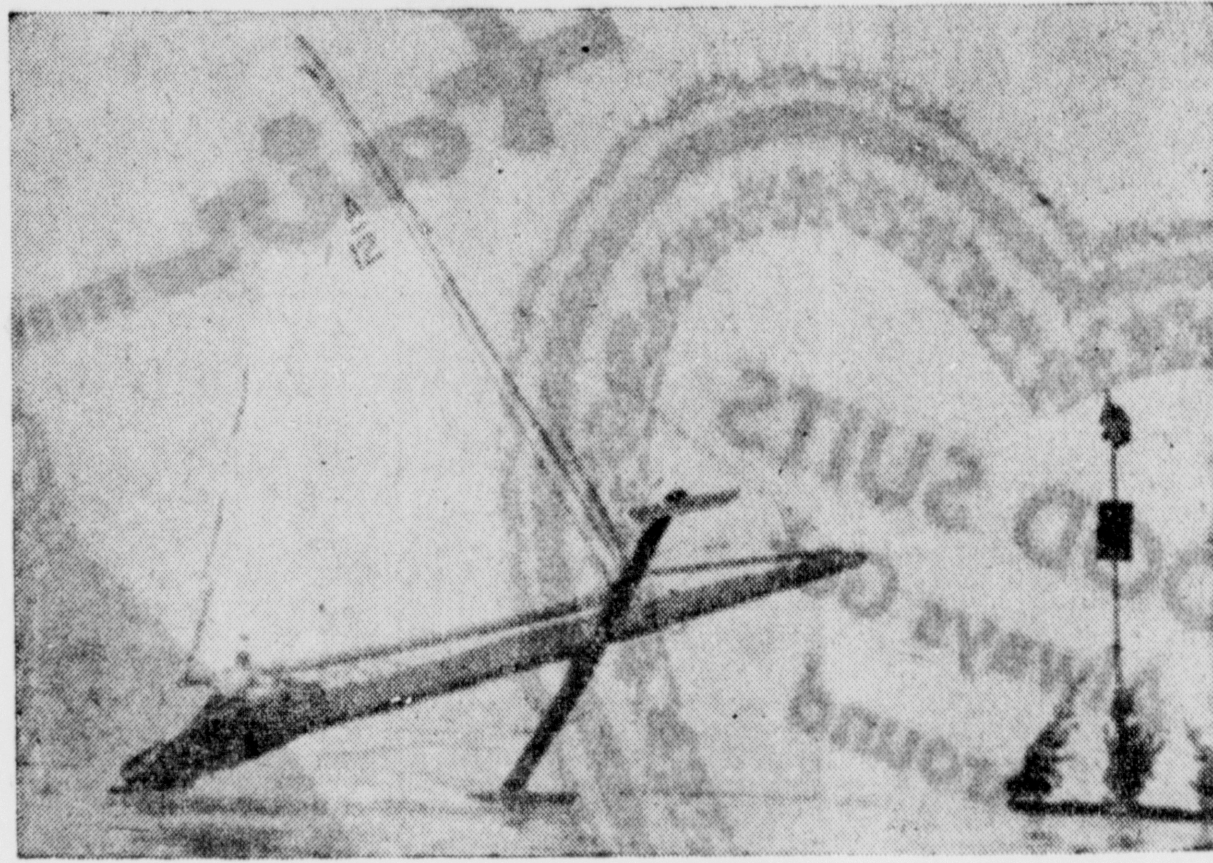
The victory snapped a five game losing streak for the Spartans. The crowd was the smallest to witness a MSC game this season.

The Tartars kept up with State during the first half and held a one point, 31-30 lead halfway through the second stanza, but the Spartans, with reserves dotting the lineup, pulled ahead and stayed there.

Center Jack Cawood and forward Robin Roberts shared high point honors for MSC, each bucking nine points. Charley Frankel racked up 10 for Wayne before he left the game in the closing minutes via the personal four route.

HAWKS UPSET LEAFS

Toronto, Feb. 1 (AP)—The last place Chicago Blackhawks came from behind tonight and defeated the Toronto Maple Leafs, 5-4, to knock the injury riddled Leafs out of first place in the National Hockey League standings.



JUST BEFORE SHE TIPPED—The camera caught this ice yacht just as it tipped over while rounding a pylon in the second lap of Class A

race of Northwestern Ice Yacht Association Regatta at Oshkosh, Wis., Jan. 26. (NEA Telephoto.)

Perkins Takes Win Over Rapid River

The Perkins high school basketball team got itself a good struggle hold on the U. P. Central League title last night when it beat Rapid River 33-20 in a rough game at the Perkins gym.

Next Friday, Perkins meets Powers at Powers in a game that may loosen that same hold. Perkins has won ten games and lost one this season, but Hermansville is right tight behind.

The Rapid River Reserves saved a little of the night for the visiting team by whipping the Perkins Reserves 25-14. But the seventh and eighth graders emulated the seniors, beating Perkins Junior high 24-22.

Perkins	FG	F	FM	PF
Stevenson	3	2	2	4
Ledvina	4	1	1	2
Van Damme	5	1	2	4
Van Deavey	1	0	1	4
Carigan	0	1	2	0
Godin	0	0	0	2
Coppock	0	0	0	0
Gerou	1	0	2	4
Totals	14	5	10	20

Rapid River	FG	F	FM	PF
Wolfe	3	4	4	3
Hunter	0	0	0	3
Johnson	1	3	5	2
Dineau	0	2	1	2
Lind	0	1	2	2
Carlson	1	0	3	4
Potvin	0	0	0	1
Totals	5	10	15	17

Score by quarters:
Perkins 6 10 4 13-33
Rapid River 5 3 4 8-20
Referee: Ranguette.

Hockey Scores

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE
Boston 2, Detroit 2 (tie).

HOT WHIZ KIDS NOSE BUCKEYES

Columbus, O., Feb. 1 (AP)—Illinois "Whiz Kids" put on a second half drive tonight to nose out 59 to 58 a red-hot Ohio State basketball team which hit nearly 50 per cent of its shots during the Western Conference contest.

Nahma Sawyers Meet Manistique Legion 5 Today

The Nahma Sawyers basketball team will play the Manistique American Legion at Nahma Sunday, February 2, at 2:30 in the clubhouse. After swamping Cox Chevs of Munising last Sunday by a score of 59 to 41 before a large crowd of fans the Sawyers will attempt to perform as well against the Legion of Manistique. The lineup will include Beauchamp, Thibault, E. Zimmermann, J. Zimmerman, Ribber, Almsted and Hescott.

A preliminary game will be played by the fifth and sixth grade teams.

Iron Kings Battle Tom Swifts Today

Iron Mountain's Iron Kings basketball team will invade the lair of Tom Swifts today, playing the locals at the Bark River gym at 2:30 p. m. A preliminary game at 1:15 p. m. will bring together the Obergers of Escanaba and the Rapid Riverers.

Ray Ranguette will officiate for the double bill.

SKI HILL IN SHAPE
Skiers stated last night that the Escanaba hill was in very good shape. The lodge will be open from 1 until 10 o'clock tonight.

Bowling Notes

WOMEN'S MAJOR LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Gust Asp's	6	3
Anita's	5	4
L & L	5	4
Lister's	5	4
Bird's Eye	4	5
R. K. Dettles	4	5
Sherman	4	5
Baby Ruths	3	6
High game: Doris Erickson, 207		
High total: Jane Mullaly, 505		

WOMEN'S ELK LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Needham's	9	3
L & L	8	4
Bird's Eye	6	6
U. S. Open	1	11
High game: Fran McPherson, 158		
High total: Toni Meunier, 524		

MAJOR LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
K. of C.	6	3	.666
Metropolitans	6	3	.666
Esc. Steam Laundry	6	3	.666
Coca Cola	5	4	.555
Phoenix Lumbermen	4	5	.444
Richie Electric	4	5	.444
H & J Oils	3	6	.333
Granada Gardens	2	7	.222

High Team—3 Games

Phoenix Lumbermen	2626
Steam Laundry	2598
Richie Electric	2597

High Team—Single Game

Granada Gardens	964
Metropolitans	933
Richie Electric	922

Individual Averages

	Games	Avg.
D. Feller	3	192
J. Kessler	8	191
E. Gravelle	9	184
G. Walker	9	178
E. Vanlerbergh	9	177
C. Beaudin	9	177
W. Magntson	9	177
A. Kidd	9	177
H. Isaacson	6	177
W. McCarthy	9	176

High Ind.—3 Games

E. Vanlerbergh	620
J. Kessler	596
H. Isaacson	581

High Ind.—Single Game

J. Kessler	227
E. Gravelle	224
E. Martinson	223
E. Vanlerbergh	223

DELTA LEAGUE

The Kiwanis No. 1 bowling team took undisputed possession of first place in the Delta Bowling League the past week by gaining three forfeited games from Kiwanis No. 2. Four other teams are tied for second place in the league standings.

Bark River Culvert posted high series score, 2370, and high single game, 847. E. G. Bennett had the high in individual series, 530, and high single game, 219.

The standing follow:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Kiwanis No. 1	7	2	.778
N. W. Fruit	5	4	.556
Rotary	5	4	.556
Esc. Lions	5	4	.556
J. C. Penney	5	4	.556
Bark R. Lions	4	5	.444
B. R. Culvert	3	6	.333
Kiwanis No. 2	2	7	.222

High Ten Individual

	Games	Avg.
Bennett	32	171
Grenholm	37	165
Cass	30	165
Kasun	48	165
Bradford	42	164
Bruce	42	161
Stan Johnson	51	161
Rudness	51	160
Boyle	12	159
Berglund	30	155

Miami Event Won By Babe Zaharias

Miami, Fla., Feb. 1 (AP)—Mrs. Babe Zaharias, out to make a "grand slam" of women's golf events this year, won handily the 15th annual Helen Lee Doherty Golf tournament today by trimming Margaret Gunther, Tennessee state champion, 12 and 10, in the 36-hole finals.

Mrs. Zaharias, National women's amateur champion, won the Tampa Women's Open by five strokes last week.

The former Olympic track star, now of Denver, Colo., fired a one-under men's par 71 on the

MICHIGAN BACK IN BIG 9 RACE

Wolverines Play Indiana Monday, Ohio State On Saturday

Detroit (AP)—University of Michigan's return to the big nine scramble to meet Indiana Monday and Ohio State Saturday highlights next week's 28-game state collegiate cage schedule involving 29 Michigan quintets.

The Wolverines journey to Bloomington Monday for the first of seven successive Western Conference clashes and the Hoosier struggle figures to carry a lot of weight in Michigan's hopes of staying long in the title picture. The Bloomington game is Michigan's only appearance this year against Indiana but the Buckeye encounter is the first of a home-and-home series.

Michigan State, stumbling along in its worst slump of the season, has returned games on tap with two major rivals. The Spartans invade Milwaukee Monday in search of a second win over Marquette and visit Notre Dame Saturday to face the same Irish quartet that hung up an earlier 74 to 56 victory over State.

Western Michigan, Detroit and Wayne each have a single game scheduled next week. Wayne meets Cincinnati Tuesday in a Mid-America Conference affair; Western's Broncos tackle Bowling Green (Ohio) Saturday and Detroit's only game is with Bradley Tech at Peoria, also on Saturday.

Lawrence Tech continues a busy tempo with three games, against Indiana Tech, St. Mary of Orchard Lake and Olivet, while Central Michigan and Michigan Normal both are idle.

Hope takes its MIAA lead against Hillsdale Friday and Adrian Saturday.

Demaret Leading Tucson Golfers

Tucson, Ariz., Feb. 1 (AP)—Defending Champion Jimmy Demaret of Houston, Tex., ringing up his second consecutive 65, went into the lead for the 72-hole \$10,000 Tucson Open golf tournament today with a three-round total of 199.

He had a 67 on opening day. Demaret's consistent performance enabled him to supplant the half-way pace-setter, Herman Keiser of Akron, Ohio, whose game blew up today.

Keiser, who set a new course record—an eight-under-par 62—was equalled the national mark held by many others, had a 37-35—72 for his third round, giving him a total of 201.

U. S. Open Champion Lloyd Mangrum, Chicago, fell off to a total of 208, dropping far behind with a three-over-par 73 today.

The final round for the \$2,000 first prize will be played tomorrow.

Basketball

STANDINGS
Chicago, Feb. 1 (AP)—Western Conference basketball standings, including tonight's games:

	W.	L.	Pct.	Pts.
Wisconsin	4	1	.800	265
Michigan	3	1	.750	191
Illinois	2	2	.667	216
Indiana	3	2	.600	279
Minnesota	4	3	.571	372
Purdue	2	2	.500	207
Ohio State	2	4	.333	334
Northwestern	1	6	.143	325

West Virginia 85, Temple 48.
Illinois 59, Ohio State 58.
Indiana State 65, Valparaiso 46.
Butler 30, Ohio U. 70.
Kentucky 60, Notre Dame 30.
Villanova 62, Yale 46.
Oklahoma 54, Iowa State 40.
Minnesota 63, Northwestern 61 (overtime).
Bowling Green (Ohio) 69, De Paul 47.
Navy 61, Duke 48.

Dr. Johnson's House To Be Repaired Soon

London, (AP)—Dr. Samuel Johnson's house in Gough Square in the City of London will soon be repaired and the thousands of tourists who visit it will again be able to see the famous attic where the eighteenth century dictionary was written.

Johnson's house was badly damaged several times by bombs and rockets which laid waste the area around it.

Within a few yards of the Cheshire Cheese where Dr. Johnson and his faithful Boswell used to sit the Johnson Museum was a place of pilgrimage for thousands of GIs.

Only 40 per cent of the men's clothing was ready-to-wear as late as 1880.

The match ended on the 146-yard 26th hole when Miss Gunther conceded after her tee shot went into a canal, and Mrs. Zaharias' ball was straight and true from tee to green.

On the afternoon round, Mrs. Zaharias grabbed the 19th hole. The next two were conceded and Mrs. Zaharias copped the 22nd, 24th and 26th.

Mrs. Zaharias was five under men's par for the eight competitive rounds.

Little Schools Score Heavily In Basketball

BY HARRY GRAYSON

NEA Sports Editor

New York, (NEA)—St. Louis University crashed the headlines by squelching mighty Oklahoma A. and M., 38-20, John Flanagan being hailed as something in the way of a miracle man because the Billikens held the Aggies to 20 points. The Cowboys repulsed supposedly invincible Kentucky in the Sugar Bowl game, 37-31.

Not that St. Louis U. is one, but basketball puts small schools in the major league. This also goes for big institutions with little or no football reputation—Brooklyn St. John's, Chicago De Paul and Loyola and Cleveland Western Reserve, for examples.

Under Ray Meyer, the old Notre Damer, De Paul has fastened right good claims to national championships. Clair Bee quickly gained national recognition for Long Island U. with basketball.

Basketball was dead in New England until Frank Keane came along to introduce his fire wagon style of offense at diminutive Rhode Island State.

Matches between schools like Valparaiso and Toledo and Western Michigan and Chicago Loyola are strictly on the big league side. Valparaiso of Indiana has all of 500 young men. Bowling Green of Ohio is an annual attraction at Madison Square Garden and other of the nation's larger arenas, although it boasts no more than 800 men.

Western Kentucky State Teachers went to the final of the Garden Invitation Tournament of 1942.

Grover Washabaugh talks blithely of Westminster's double pivot play. The New Wilmington, Pa., school earned a niche with 350-odd boys. A meeting of Brooklyn College and the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science has its following. Wee

Salem of West Virginia produced high-scoring Brooms Abramo-vich, now of the Pittsburgh Iron Men of the new professional Basketball Association of America.

Names meaning little or nothing in football take on considerable importance in basketball:

Akron, American University, Bradley Tech of Peoria, Ball State, Brooklyn Poly, Butler, Baldwin-Wallace, Buffalo, Creighton, Canterbury, Cape Girardeau, Carbondale, Canisius, Connecticut, DePaul of Chicago, Drake, Dayton, Evansville, Earlham, East Kentucky State, Franklin, Gettysburg, Geneva, Grinnell, Hobart, Hofstra, Manhattan, Murray State, Morehead, Marshall, Northeastern, Niagara, Otterbein, Pratt, Pepperdine of southwest Los Angeles, Providence, Redlands, St. Joseph's of Philadelphia, St. Francis of Brooklyn, St. Bonaventure, Seton Hall, Warrenton, Washburn, Worcester Poly, Walsh, Whittier of southern California, Xavier and Youngstown, to name a few, automatically, that come to mind hardly off-hand, including Yeshiva of Brooklyn—ever hear of that one?

Institutions are judged on their football teams, which is a falacy, knocking the picture completely out of focus.

A college does not have to have a tremendous stadium to become a big time participant in basketball.

A basketball team is more easily put together than a football varsity. Players play from childhood, so there is a greater number of proficient basketball players than footballers. No part of the football physique or equipment is required. About all that is needed is a ball and a couple of hoops.

That's not the least reason why basketball is America's biggest and still fastest growing game.

Slaughter On His Own In World Series Run

By HARRY GRAYSON

New York, (NEA)—Did Enos Slaughter carry the mail with or without the guidance of Mike Gonzalez on the Cardinal's memorable run that settled the 1946 World Series?

Country Slaughter said he was on his own from the time he passed second base in that dramatic eighth inning at Sportsman's Park last Oct. 15, deciding to shoot for the works, and failing to receive even the blink of a bulb from Coach Gonzalez.

Yet many sports writers and others tabbed Senor Gonzalez the finale's hero for waving the outfielder homeward bound—all the way from first base on Harry Walker's line drive to left-center.

There has been so much controversy and discussion about Slaughter's daring sprint that veteran sports editor Sid Keener of the St. Louis Star-Times asked director Lev Fonseca of the major leagues' motion picture division to clear it up.

Battleship Admirals Scrapped By Hitler, Nazi Papers Reveal

Washington (AP)—The failure of the German navy to make good use of its heavy ships was due to lack of the "sea-going habit," the wartime leader of the United States Navy said today.

Discussing secret Nazi documents now on file here and in London, Fleet Admiral Ernest J. King disclosed a few U. S. secrets of the war.

The United States feared another raid by German war ships such as that the Bismarck and the Prince Eugen undertook in 1941, so a "heavy detachment" of ships was stationed at Argentina, New Foundland, he told reporters.

The plan called for these ships to put to sea instantly in case German ships broke loose again and, under direction of the British forces, head the enemy off in the North Atlantic.

Details of Hitler's angry decision to scrap his "Battleship Admirals" and their high seas fleet in January, 1943 were contained in the German documents, which were made public here and in London tonight (some contents of these documents had been disclosed previously however).

Hitler's secret order officially terminated the fighting life of every German warship larger than a destroyer more than two years before V-E Day.

A heavy fleet of British warships, reinforced from time to time by American battleships, cruisers and destroyers, maintained ceaseless patrol in the North Sea between Britain and Norway, unaware that their quarry had been immobilized.

The United States navy did not know of the Hitler order until last year, Fleet Admiral Ernest J. King said in an interview, and would not have depended on it, if it had known. Fewer ships might have been assigned to some areas, but a watch would still have been kept on the North Sea, the Norwegian coast and approaches to German-held ports, the Admiral said.

As late as August, 1943, two new American battleships, the South Dakota and Alabama with a group of destroyers operated with the British home fleet, led by four or more powerful battleships and including aircraft carriers and squadrons of cruisers and smaller ships.

That this heavy fleet was not entirely wasted watching the dead laid-up German fleet was shown by the desperate northern raid of the Scharnhorst in December, 1943. Although scheduled to be decommissioned by Hitler July 1, naval officers apparently succeeded in postponing the end of their last crack fighting ship. She was caught by the British and destroyed while running for home.

Another long-kept secret also came to light.

Admiral King, in analyzing Germany's naval weaknesses, casually revealed that the United States made plans before the war to seize the Portuguese Azores with the unofficial approval of Portugal.

(Naval evidence introduced in

the congressional Pearl Harbor investigation disclosed that the high command had drawn up a plan for occupying the Azores if necessary.)

Anticipating a German grab for the strategic islands located in mid-Atlantic, the United States considered early in 1941 and then laid actual plans for occupying the azores, as had been done with Iceland.

Since Portugal was neutral "Sub-Rosa" conversations with U. S. representatives agreed to the occupation, but arranged for an official "protest" to hoodwink the Germans, King related.

The Nazi documents show a three-cornered fight in (Jan.) 1943, among the air force, army and navy ended with Hitler berating his navy chiefs for leaving their ships "idle in the fjords, utterly useless like so much old iron."

He topped off a series of violent conferences with a flat order that decommissioned every ship in the German navy larger than a destroyer.

The documents were released four years after the resignation of Grand Admiral Raeder, which swiftly followed Hitler's drastic order. Among them was an "essay" by Admiral Doenitz, the submarine chief who succeeded Raeder, presenting the first high-command picture of the six years of war. Raeder was sentenced to life imprisonment, Doenitz to ten years, at the Nuernberg trials.

The documents stressed that Germany did not think she would have to fight England, at least not for about five years after the outbreak of war in 1939. A big German navy was planned but wouldn't be ready to attack the British until 1944 or 1945 Raeder said.

Interrogation of Admiral Doenitz by British authorities confirmed this view that Germany was not prepared for a naval war. Even on Sept. 1, 1939, two days before England declared war, Hitler was sure she would not.

LION AT THE PARTY
Great Falls, Mont. (AP)—Thirteen Great Falls Boy Scouts were seated around a council fire at their camp in the Belt Mountains when a large mountain lion approached within 150 feet. The animal studied the boys for several seconds, snarled a few times, then sprang away into the darkness—to the great relief of the unarmed youngsters.

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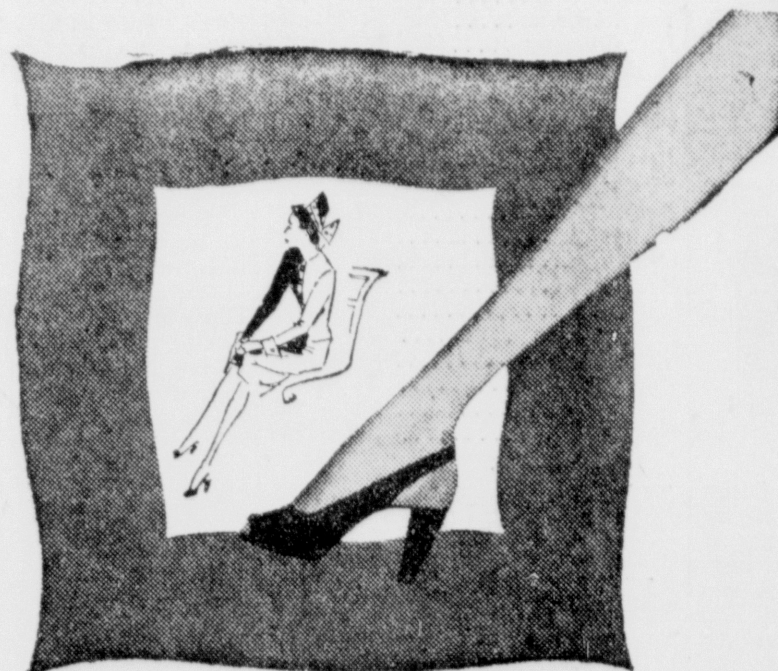


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